

OPEN 4TH WAR LOAN DRIVE

Soviet Troops Continue To Drive German Forces Back

Germans Retreat In Some Sectors Of White Russia

Nazis Burning Villages As
They Abandon Them Says
Moscow Report

BUG RIVER FRONT IS ALSO AFLAME

By NATALIA RENE
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

MOSCOW, Jan. 18.—German troops were reported in full retreat today in some sectors of upper White Russia, burning villages as they abandoned them before the advance of Soviet forces pressing their thunderous new offensive.

West of Navia, battlefield distances revealed, long stretches along the frozen banks of the Smerech river are clouded with the smoke of flaming towns, fired by the fleeing Wehrmacht.

Other Soviet troops were said to be closing in on the important rail junction of Novosokolniki, 250 miles south of long-embattled Leningrad from the north, threatening the Nazi garrison manning that fortress with imminent encirclement.

Bug River Front Aflame

The Bug river front was aflame too, with mammoth armored force battles in that sector of the lower Ukraine as the Nazis sought desperately to prevent a major breakthrough which would trap vast German garrisons in lower Russia.

Entire German units were being torn to pieces, late advances declared in a series of enemy counterattacks intended to halt the Russian drive near Uman.

Rovno, lying 40 miles west of the old Polish border, meanwhile was threatened by the first Ukrainian Army's drive.

The Russians advancing into the central Pripiet marshes are getting strong support from Soviet bombers which are severely pounding the Germans. Enemy bases both north and west of Kuzniokivich, along the railroad line leading across the frozen swamplands to Pinsk are being attacked.

Sixteen Planes Downed

In air battles over this front alone, 16 enemy aircraft were shot down.

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PA NEW OBSERVES

Make the Goods News Better. Buy more War Bonds of the Fourth Loan.

New Castle has a heavy fog this morning. Weather conditions were such that it was about 9:30 o'clock before daylight had arrived.

Containers for blood plasma are made of paper. Your waste paper is needed!

SAVE A BUNDLE A WEEK
SAVE SOME BOYS LIFE

New Castle public square at noon today looked like a fairland. Frost and a light snow clung to everything, and it was a most attractive picture.

If a lot of the material that is being sent broadcast over the nation to newspapers, which is of no value to them, was curtailed it might help the paper shortage too.

According to New Castle folks who were outside the local territory on auto trips last night, fog and frost which enveloped the local district were entirely local. This morning, however, it had spread a little. Later in the morning, the frost in the air seems to have become a little denser in the city, and fell in the form of a light snow.

Daily Weather Report

United States weather statistics for the 24-hour period ending at 9 a. m., today follow:
Maximum temperature, 35.
Minimum temperature, 19.
Precipitation—frost and fog.
River stage, 45 feet.

Statistics for the same date a year ago follow:
Maximum temperature, 48.
Minimum temperature, 31.
Precipitation, 22 in.-hrs.

Lull In Pacific May Forecast Big Moves

By JOSEPH A. BORS
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The lull in major operations in the Pacific indicated today that American forces may be preparing for new assaults against the Japanese. There was a possibility the next moves would overshadow all previous actions in scope and importance.

Just where the next Allied blows will strike was secret, but dispatches from the Hawaiian area intimated the Japanese have been bolstering their garrison in the Marshalls in preparation for a probable Allied invasion of those islands.

Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, commander of the U. S. fleet in the Pacific said last night that carrier

Thirteen Of Senior Class Serve Nation

Eleven Of Members Of Senior Class Unable To Attend Graduation

PRESENT DIPLOMAS TO 151 HERE TONIGHT

When the midyear graduating class of January 1944 of the senior high school receives its diplomas this evening at exercises at the Scottish Rite Cathedral, two members of the class who have been serving with the armed forces since last summer will be home to receive their diplomas in person, Samuel Joseph Abraham, of the U. S. Coast Guard, and John Thomas Lee, of the U. S. Navy. Eleven others who are in service will be unable to be present.

The program will begin at 8 p. m. Dr. John R. Schmitt, president of Allegheny College, will deliver the Commencement address on "Oh, What a Beautiful Morning." Dr. D. L. Ferguson, pastor of Highland U. P. church, will give the invocation and benediction.

Three More Mid-Year Events
Size of this midyear graduating class of 151 is considerably smaller than last year's class which numbered 184 which was in turn noticeably smaller than the abnormally large classes of the preceding few years. Midyear graduations will continue until 1947 after which there will again be only one a year, according to present plans.

A number of the class of January 1944 are planning post-graduate

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Gen. MacArthur Is First Bond Buyer

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(INS)—A great fighting man today took time out from his warlike duties by proxy to provide a stirring symbol of the indissoluble link between the home front and the battle front.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur, America's No. 1 hero, became the nation's first bond buyer of the current campaign in a brief ceremony at the Chemical Bank & Trust Co.

The general, of course, was thousands of miles away, directing American spearheads as they probed toward the heart of Japan, but Percy Johnston, chairman of the bank, served in his stead.

"It is with great pleasure that I place General MacArthur's name at the head of subscriptions," Johnston said as he made the bond purchase pledge for the general.

Leaps Fourteen Stories To Death

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(INS)—On the eve of his arraignment today for conspiring to protect wealthy, German-born Gert Hans von Gontard from the draft, John E. Wilson leaped 14 stories to his death.

Wilson, former chief clerk of Local Draft Board No. 20, was under indictment with Von Gontard, grandson of the late Adolphus Busch, St. Louis brewer, and two others, Dr. Arnold A. Hutschnecker and Michael Mangano.

In a farewell note to his wife before taking the death plunge, Wilson wrote "this is the only way out—to do what I am about to do."

ERIE WOMAN KILLED
ERIE, Pa., Jan. 18.—(INS)—A woman patient at the Erie county home, Girard, fought off her nurse today, leaped from a second floor window, and died seven hours later in Hamot hospital.

The woman, Mrs. Emma Miller, 50-year-old widow, suffered fractures of both legs, her jaw and nose and a possible skull fracture. Coroner Warren W. Wood was investigating her death.

French Forces In Fifth Army Take San Elia

New Allied Gains Are Made
In Drive To Force Nazis
Out Of Cassino

U. S. FORCES CROSS RAPIDO RIVER

By JAMES L. KILGALLAN
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

ALGIERS, Jan. 18.—French forces have climaxed five days of dogged fighting on the Fifth Army front with the capture of San Elia, pivot of the German Gustav line, Allied headquarters announced today.

On the other side of the Italian boot, meanwhile, Canadian troops made limited advances on the long-static Eighth Army front.

Gen. Alphonse Juin's combined French-American-Moroccan wing of the Fifth army also stormed into Valsusa, two miles northeast of fallen San Elia, and reached the Rapido river above positions already established by Yank elements.

Seek To Defend Cassino

The Germans retired to heavily fortified positions on the Gustav line in a last desperate effort to halt Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's Polyglot army before Cassino, the guardian of the gateway to Rome.

Two and four-motored bombers of both the U. S. air force and the RAF, as well as allied fighter planes joined in the series of blows ranging all the way from western Italy to the Adriatic, and extending across to Yugoslavia.

The bombing was particularly intense in the area around Florence, where German-held railroads handle much of the supplies and materiel headed south to Nazi forces charged with holding the area before Rome.

Hit Near Florence

Fortresses hit rail points at Florence proper as well as Pontassieve, ten miles east of the city on the main road to Rome.

Other Forts smashed at Prato, a junction leading to Florence, meeting no opposition.

Liberators, leashed the railroad yards at Arezzo, 30 miles south of Florence. They were escorted by fork-tailed Lightning bombers but they met no enemy opposition.

Twin-motored Mitchells attacked Chiavari, 10 miles northwest of

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Report Germans Expect Invasion Within 15 Days

LONDON, Jan. 18.—(INS)—German leaders were reported today expecting the forthcoming Allied "second front" invasion of Europe within the next 15 days, and are making preparations to meet the threat.

The London Evening Standard quoted a Madrid dispatch crediting Berlin quarters, as saying the Germans have amassed powerfully equipped forces in the Rhone Valley and the plains around Paris.

The invasion is said to be ready to rush these troops north or south in the event of invasion, the Nazis believing the Allied assault may come from the north, particularly on the Norwegian or Danish coasts.

A radio report from Portuguese Laurence Marques was cited for the belief that the invasion will come within a fortnight.

Plane Crashes Into House In Oakland; Report 11 Are Dead

OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 18.—(INS)—An airplane crashed into a house in Oakland early today and exploded, killing eleven persons, according to first reports from firemen.

The home into which the plane crashed and the houses on each side were set afire.

Twelfth Naval district headquarters in San Francisco said a report had been received that the plane was a Navy bomber but that the report had not yet been confirmed.

Firemen reported that eleven bodies could be seen in the wreckage.

Announcement of the deaths of the men at the sick bay of the station yesterday was made by the navy today following notification of next of kin.

They were identified as Richard J. Holden, 21, water tender third class, of Fall River, and William T. Ping, 27, seaman second class of Detroit, Mich.

Ping gave his life in an effort to save Holden after the latter had collapsed from fumes in the tank, which they were cleaning.

New Type German Planes Reported

LONDON, Jan. 18.—(INS)—The Germans, desperately trying to combat the mounting Allied air offensive against the Reich, were reported today to have developed a fighter plane which presents a greater threat than the much-fought rocket-firing interceptors.

The London Daily Mail, quoting a "reliable" source, said the latest German fighter planes are being equipped with a 30 millimeter cannon. The projectile fired reportedly is more than twice the size of that used by American fighters.

Jap Convoy Is Badly Battered By Allied Fliers

One 10,000 Ton Merchant
Ship Sunk; Two More
Left In Flames

ENEMY LOSES 22 PLANES IN FIGHT

By FRANK ROBERTSON
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN NEW GUINEA, Jan. 18.—Allied aircraft were disclosed officially to have caught a six-ship Japanese convoy off New Ireland and, in the ensuing attack, sunk one 10,000-ton merchantman leaving two more in flames.

The communique from Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters revealed the savage attack on the convoy, probably bound through reef-filled southern waters to reinforce the Rabaul garrison on New Britain, also told of new air battles that cost the enemy 22 planes in dog-fights, with at least four more considered probably destroyed.

Sighted January 15

The Japanese convoy, four cargo ships and two escorts, believed to be carrying 10,000 tons of supplies, was sighted the night of January 15 by Navy Catalina flying boats which swept immediately into the attack.

The enemy vessels were off Kavieng in an area that for several weeks has provided a fertile field for American planes on the prowl.

Two bombs crashed amidships into the big freighter, destroying it while two more of 2,000 and 6,000 tons were struck and burst into flames. Reconnaissance patrols spotted

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U. S. Diplomats Are Puzzled By Russian Moves

Fear Anglo-American Political Relations With Russia Entering Troubled Waters

By KINGSBURY SMITH
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—A shocked and bewildered diplomatic Washington feared today that Anglo-American political relations with Russia are entering troubled waters.

Moscow was seen rocking the boat of allied unity by the following two startling moves:

1. Its action in indirectly accusing Great Britain of discussing a separate peace with Germany.

2. Its rejection of the Polish government's proposal to have the United States and Great Britain act as mediators in a negotiated settlement of the boundary dispute between Poland and Russia.

Get Severe Jolt

The harmonious political relations which official Washington hoped had been firmly established between the three major allied powers at the Teheran and Moscow conferences were considered to have received a severe jolt by Moscow's moves.

Consultations are now underway between the American and British governments to see what can be done to repair the dent in allied unity, and to prevent it from developing into a more serious breach.

Chief apprehension in Washington centered around Moscow's accusation against Great Britain. Official

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DEATH RECORD

Tuesday, January 18, 1944

Clara Minerva Sheidemantle, 78, Prospect.

John S. Schweinsberg, 88, 1041 Adams street.

Infant Hannan, Staten Island, N. Y.



Prime Minister Churchill Back At London Again

Resumes Direction Of British War Effort Immediately On Return

By LEO V. DOLAN
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Prime Minister Winston Churchill, again the picture of health after his critical illness with pneumonia, returned from his recuperation today and immediately resumed direction of the British war effort.

Within an hour and a half of the time he stepped from his special train in London, Churchill was before a cheering house of commons assuring members that he expected no relief from some of the official burdens he has been bearing since 1940.

Reaches Parliament
Even before he arrived at parliament, shortly before noon, he had been told of invasion preparations and urgent matters of state by members of his cabinet who met him at the station.

He was asked in commons what steps had been taken to shift from him some of his duties, because of his serious illness, his second siege with pneumonia within a year.

"I am obliged to you for your solicitude," Churchill responded, "but I have no changes to propose at present in my routine."

When Comdr. Oliver Locker-Lampson proposed a toast to the prime minister, he replied with a typical Churchill twinkle in the eye: "It's very early in the morning."

Asked if he could make any statement on the Allied progress in the war, but would ask some latitude about the actual date.

MAKES HIGH SCORE

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18.—(INS)—A Pittsburgh soldier was down on the records today with a 346 score, the highest ever made in the mental examination given by the aviation cadet examining board.

Corp. Wallace Earl Gottfried, 22, was given a furlough from Fort Monmouth, N. J., to come home and try for aviation cadet training after being refused twice before because of his eyes.

Since the vision requirement has been lowered, Corp. Gottfried will soon realize his dream for years of becoming a flier.

ASKS EXTENSION

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18.—(INS)—The Pittsburgh Motor club today awaited an answer on their request to the state that the January 31 deadline for auto inspection be extended.

The club claims garages are unable to handle the volume of inspections in time. A survey showed shortages of auto parts and mechanics and reported garages are turning motorists away.

DIES OF INJURIES

MECHANICSBURG, Pa., Jan. 18.—(INS)—John V. Wolford, 30, Hanover, a guard at the Mechanicsburg naval supply depot, died today from injuries received Sunday in a motor accident near Mechanicsburg.

His car skidded into a pole while he was enroute to work.

Fourth War Loan Drive Under Way In Lawrence Co.

Seek Nearly \$7,000,000
Quota In Campaign
Throughout County

COUNTY HAS GREAT RECORD TO SUSTAIN

Armed with fountain pens and enthusiasm the Fourth War Loan bond salesmen-soldiers started their offensive this morning and early this afternoon the communique issued by the commanding generals said that progress had been made on all fronts with a break through the Sales Resistance front at many points.

New Castle and Lawrence County bond salesmen are out to sell up to seven million dollars worth of bonds and they'll do it. In the past three campaigns, Lawrence County is one of two western Pennsylvania counties that passed its quota each time and this would be a peculiar time to break a precedent.

Heavy Artillery

The heavy artillery opened up today with the big shells marked \$10,000 and up. The infantry, firing \$25 bonds as ammunition was active and at the end of the day the advance was satisfactory.

This campaign will take a lot of work and a lot of co-operation. It calls for a lot of heavy work with the fountain pen. Out of it will come the money to keep the American fighters pouring it on the Nazis and Japs.

Headquarters is in the Greater New Castle Association of offices in The Castleton hotel with

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New Smaller Size Bonds Ready For Fourth War Loan

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 18.—Chances are you will buy one of the new small size "E" War Bonds when you buy that extra bond during the Fourth War Loan Drive. Eighty-six million have been printed since August 1.

Streamlined to approximately half the size of the bonds issued to date, the saving in paper and production costs alone amount to \$1,500,000 in one year.

All Series "E" Bonds from \$25 to \$1,000 will be the new size and will be issued as the stock of original war bonds is sold out.

The original war bonds cost \$27.03 per thousand to print, while the new issue costs but \$17.12 per thousand, on the same durable, distinctive bond paper.

By 1945 the Treasury estimates that 3,374 tons of paper will be conserved, based on present estimates of the 86 million already printed and engraved.

New Bedford Man Wounded In Italy

In a telegram received last week from the War Department, Mrs. Mary Alusk, of R.F.D. No. 1, New Bedford, was notified that her son, Pfc. Stephen J. Alusk, who is with a Ranger outfit attached to the Fifth Army, in Italy was slightly wounded on December 8.

Private Alusk, who is 31 years of age, was inducted into the service in May, 1942, and has been overseas for almost a year.

Arthur Mometer



That man is here again and wants your money. He's asking for a loan to win the war. He doesn't ask that you give out a nickel. He urges you to loan and loan some more. He needs the dough for lads who carry rifles, who bravely carry on for you and me, and listen folks without your bonds he's helpless. So has to carry through to victory. So dig my friend and take some bonds to help him. Your uncle needs the money for the guns, this bond job is the task for those back home here. The weather's bright and up to thirty-one.

4th WAR LOAN
Let's All Back The Attack

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Bond Program On Wednesday

War Heroes And Movie Stars To Appear On Cathedral Program

FOURTH WAR LOAN DRIVE TO BE AIDED

Hollywood comes to New Castle on Wednesday afternoon when two stars of the silver screen headline a show in the Cathedral at 1 o'clock. The show is sponsored by the theatre operators of the city, and there is no charge for admission.

The two stars who headline the show are Miss Leslie Brooks, a young glamour girl who has been turning in increasingly better performances in the past year and seems headed for the top rung. Miss Brooks is the pin-up girl of a lot of service outfits, and a view of her Wednesday in the Cathedral will give you ample evidence of the good taste of the service men.

And Edgar Buchanan
With Leslie Brooks is Edgar Buchanan, an actor of experience and ability. His work as the dentist in "Arizona" marked him for the upper brackets both historically and in come taxability. Three heroes of battlefronts will make appearances. Private Ivan B. Kennedy, Corporal Billie L. Doris and Chief Boatwain's Mate Thomas Sortino. The three lads have seen service in war theatres of the Atlantic and Pacific.

You need no money or tickets to get into the Hollywood Cavalcade nor will anybody be asked to cut in on the expense by a collection. This show is "on the house" insofar as the theatre owners are concerned.

HANNEGAN CHAIRMAN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Associates of Robert E. Hannegan, commissioner of internal revenue, revealed today that Hannegan had accepted the chairmanship of the Democratic national committee at the request of President Roosevelt.

Postmaster General Frank C. Walker will resign the chairmanship at a meeting of the committee Saturday when Hannegan is expected to be elected.

Hannegan, a resident of St. Louis, Mo., will resign his internal revenue post when he takes the political job.

U. S. DIPLOMATS ARE PUZZLED BY RUSSIAN MOVES

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cial sources were not only frankly puzzled but deeply concerned at the motive behind Pravda's action in publishing an alleged rumor from Cairo that British representatives had conferred with German Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop concerning the possibility of a separate peace with Germany.

In the first place, authoritative American sources said they did not believe any such conference had taken place. Secondly, they were unable to understand why Moscow should wish to cast suspicion on Britain merely on the basis of an alleged Cairo rumor.

See Some Move
Diplomatic and official Washington was certain of only one thing—that there was a definite motive behind publication of the accusation against Britain in the strictly controlled leading Soviet newspaper.

Among the diplomatic and official "guesses" as to what prompted the Soviet move were the following:

1. A warning to Great Britain and the United States against any deal with the Germans to occupy Germany while the Nazi armies hold the Soviet forces at bay on the eastern front. There have been persistent reports in Sweden and other neutral countries that the Germans might decide to let the Anglo-American armies occupy Germany before the Russians get there in the hope they would be saved from Soviet reprisals.

2. A Soviet slap at the British for giving counsel to the Polish government in exile in London with whom Russia refuses to resume diplomatic relations.

3. Preparations for some move which the Soviet government may have in mind and which may prove disagreeable to Britain, such as the establishment of a puppet regime in Poland.

Card Of Thanks
We wish to thank our kind friends, and neighbors, for their assistance in anyway during the long illness and death of our dear husband and father.

MRS. W. H. STROBLE, CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN.

Card Of Thanks
We wish to thank all who extended us their sympathy and kindness in our bereavement.

VICTORIA AND ZORA YARDAS.

JAP CONVOY IS BADLY BATTERED BY ALLIED FLIERS

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ted them still burning the next day, one with its stern just above the water, leading to the assumption that they probably sank too.

Today's MacArthur communiqué also described a blazing duel near Sadoro, where the Japanese sought to attack American positions at that New Guinea beachhead.

Shoot Down 17 Japs
Allied air patrols intercepted the strong Japanese formation, shooting down 17 fighters and one dive bomber, and two more of the Jap planes were placed on the "probable" list. The interceptors suffered only "minor losses," the communiqué said.

In other duels, four more Jap planes were shot down, at a cost of one Allied aircraft.

The relentless pounding of the vital Japanese bastion of Rabaul, on New Britain's eastern coast, was continued. Rarely a day or night goes by without a new aerial blow against this principal enemy base in the southwest Pacific, this time Solomon-based heavy bombers carrying out a night air-drome attack.

Lakunai and Tobera fields, which have been repeatedly blasted from the air, formed the targets once more in this newest in the attack series.

Escorted medium and heavy bombers unloaded 87 tons of bombs on Japanese defense positions east of Amulit Plantation in the Arava of New Britain, where U. S. forces are expanding their beachheads. The area also was extensively strafed.

Air patrols swept along the Sio area of New Guinea, beyond which former Japanese supply base Australian jungle troops already have advanced. A number of enemy barges in Vitiaz Strait were destroyed.

Other New Guinea and Solomons areas were strafed and bombed.

FRENCH FORCES IN FIFTH ARMY TAKE SAN ELIA

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my opposition from heavily-defended positions 300 yards their side of the Rapido, believed not much more than one mile from Cassino.

The Yanks immediately launched an attack on the Nazi outposts.

Continued successes of American and French forces in the two-week old battle for Cassino has forced the Germans to fall back to new defense positions west of the Rapido, headquarters disclosed.

Germans Dig In
After losing San Elia to the French the Germans retreated to high ground positions, where they dug in in an effort to stop John's forces who for five days have plodded steadily forward.

Elsewhere on the Fifth front, patrols were active. Weather on the coastal area was fine, but a steady gale blew in the mountains.

On the Eighth army front, where there had been little action for several weeks, tough Canadian troops, supported by tanks, launched an attack along a 1,000-yard front one mile northwest of Tomasso, which is about two miles inland from the Adriatic.

They attacked along a small stream running into the sea, crossed the stream at one point and gained a foothold on the other side.

Fighting was said to be continuing, the Canadians having made satisfactory progress.

Patrol Activity
In other Eighth army sectors, there was patrol activity, while artillery carried on some effective shelling. The weather was reported fine along the coast, but snow was falling in the inland mountain region.

The two-week old battle for Cassino, a stubborn struggle that has seen the Allied forces creep ahead sometimes at snail's pace against tough opposition and over rocky mountain terrain in bitter weather, appeared near its climax.

The fall of Cassino, which seems assured, will open the way for a drive against Rome itself, some 79 miles away through the Liri Valley along the historic Via Cassilina, one of the leading Italian National highways.

All major heights in the defense zone around the once sleepy little Italian town of Cassino, converted into a fortress by the Nazis trying to make the Allied advance as costly as possible, are held by Clark's troops, several of which overlook the village.

In reaching the Rapido river, American troops advanced nearly two miles from the Apex of Mount Trocchio.

"Remember Now Thy Creator"

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Traffic Whistles Sound 2,160 Times Here Last Night

Were one to stand last night between 6 o'clock and 9 o'clock in Washington street between Public Square and Croton avenue, his ears must have heard a police whistle sound 2,160 times.

There were five "hot corners" manned by six police and a lieutenant although only five blew whistles at Public Square, Mercer street, Mill street, East street and Croton avenue.

The light changed on an average of every 25 seconds according to Rex Hughes, city electrician, who arranges the traffic control system.

The police were on duty three hours or 180 minutes, or 10,800 seconds which found each of the five sounding his whistles every 25 seconds or 432 times.

Totalling the shrill blasts of their whistles resulted in them being sounded 2,160 times.

It was a pleasure to watch the motor and foot traffic move. The police presented a nice appearance. There was no jay walking. That's police work," remarked Robert Latera, chief of police of the Johnsons.

"I've seen traffic direction but it was never directed better than it was last night," said Frank Sargent, co-ordinator for the office of civilian defense. The aforesaid remarks were only two of those made by persons in the Washington street section last night.

It was the first time in years, or since the days when police wore white belts that traffic officers occupied corners and "helped the lights."

The lights and whistles govern both motor and foot pedestrian and if the people obey like they did last night jay-walking will soon disappear.

THIRTEEN OF SENIOR CLASS SERVE NATION

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study at high school. Nearly all of the boys who have not already been called to serve with the armed forces expect to leave very soon for some branch of service.

Some To College
Girls of the class are planning to take jobs, continue at high school as P. G.'s or enter college.

College work has already begun for one member of the class, John Pioletti, who is enrolled at the University of Pittsburgh. Jane Dietterle and Frances Carpenter will enter Westminster College very soon. Martha Chamberlain plans to attend the University of Pittsburgh.

Those who are to leave from the class in addition to those mentioned above are: Norman H. Buckingham and Robert A. Christoph in the army air corps; John T. Dailey, Aldo R. Galmarni, Arnold Pelini, and Robert C. Watson in the army; Joseph D. Villani, Frederick E. Rowland, Hartzel H. Huston, Frank Giannone, Andrew A. Gallonio in the navy.

Officers of the class of January 44 are: president, Jack Wallace; vice president, Tony Ginochi; secretary, Jane Dietterle; treasurer, Ted Lewis. Class supervisor is Miss Clarissa Duff.

SUPPLY LINES OF GERMANS HIT

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Ancona, and Marauder medium bombers slapped rail installations at Viterbo, scoring many hits.

Other Marauders hit a railroad bridge 30 miles northeast of Rome, at Orte.

RAF Wellingtons staged an attack on the important Nazi-held railroad yards at Pizzo.

Fighter bombers continued to attack the Dalmatian coast hitting a merchant ship off Dubrovnik and causing an explosion. Three more were hit at Brac.

Supporting fifth army troops, fighter bombers fired the docks at Anzio, railroads at Palo and started fires on bridges at Taquinia. Other fighters defended allied positions along the entire Italian front.

Railway Blasted
Algiers, Jan. 18.—(INS)—The vital double-track railway linking Rome with Florence has suffered tremendous damage through persistent assaults by American Flying Fortress and Liberator bombers, reconnaissance photographs revealed today.

Picture of the devastation wrought in the latest raid by Liberators on Prato, junction point leading to Florence, indicated that the yards there, previously hit by Fortresses, now are inoperative.

The aerial campaign on the rail lines is designed to disrupt the Nazi lifelines to the German armies defending the Gustav line shielding Rome from Allied troops.

Headquarters today reported a series of crippling assaults yesterday by heavy bombers of the 15th Air Force on railroads, communications and bridges in the Florence area.

PLEAD GUILTY

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Two youthful companions of Edward Janke, 18, of Allentown, who was shot and killed while resisting arrest last September, pleaded guilty today to 46 burglary charges. Their loot was estimated to be worth \$8,500.

The youths, Albert Schake, 20, and Christian Rastetter, 19, both parolees, will be sentenced after the trial of Robert McCann, 29, charged with receiving stolen goods. Another member of the gang, Robert Loveland, 20, is still at large.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends, neighbors, and relatives for kindness and sympathy extended us during our recent bereavement. Also for floral tributes and cars donated.

JOHN W. THOMAS AND CHILDREN.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of our mother, Mrs. Ida Mae Sumner, who died two years ago today. Oh, for the touch of the hand that's gone. And the sound of the voice that's stilled. Sadly missed by her family.

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Deaths of the Day

Clara Minerva Sheidemantle

After a lingering illness, Clara Minerva Sheidemantle aged 78 years, daughter of the late Peter and Emeline Sheidemantle, died at the family residence in Prospect Monday morning at 7:30 o'clock.

Surviving are: Mrs. R. G. Hays, Prospect; Mrs. Minnie Kennedy, Beaver Falls; Mrs. D. L. Kennedy, Butler, R. D. 6; Blaine Sheidemantle.

She was a member of the Portersville Presbyterian church. Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 2 p. m. from the residence, Rev. George A. Cheesman, of the Portersville Presbyterian church in charge; assisted by Rev. C. H. Williamson, of the Prospect Presbyterian church.

Interment will be in the Portersville Presbyterian church cemetery.

John S. Schweinsberg

John S. Schweinsberg, aged 68 years, of 1041 Adams street, died at his residence Monday evening at 9:30 o'clock after an eight-day illness.

The deceased was born in Beaver county November 13, 1855, son of John P. and Philabena Young Schweinsberg. He was a carpenter by trade, retiring 13 years ago. Mr. Schweinsberg was a member of the Epworth Methodist church, Men's Bible class and the K. of K. lodge, Ellwood City. He was married to Mrs. Mary Louise Workley Schweinsberg for 66 years, who survives.

Children surviving are Mrs. C. C. Coulthard, Mrs. R. P. Milliken, Howard L. Schweinsberg of this city, eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He leaves a brother, H. A. Schweinsberg, Ellwood City.

Funeral services will be from the Cunningham funeral home, East Washington and Chestnut streets, Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. W. Thornton in charge.

Interment will be in Mt. Hope cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home this evening 7 to 9 o'clock and Wednesday 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 o'clock.

Infant Hannan

Infant one-day-old daughter of Dr. Joseph and Lucille Jaworski Hannan, who are making their home on Staten Island, N. Y., died Monday. The infant was born on Sunday morning.

In addition to the parents, the grandparents, Mrs. Mary Jaworski and Dr. J. Hannan, of this city, survive.

The body will arrive in New Castle, this evening. Blessing services for the infant will be at St. Mary's cemetery, Wednesday, at noon.

LULL IN PACIFIC MAY FORECAST BIG MOVES

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tral Pacific since U. S. forces invaded and seized the Gilbert Islands, which now form a springboard for the next American amphibious move in that area.

Recent conferences in Washington between members of the high command and army and navy officers from the various combat zones left no doubt that plans were mapped for the intensification of Allied drives in both the Pacific and European war zones.

Admiral Ernest J. King, commander-in-chief of the U. S. fleet and chief of naval operations, recently told newsmen that the war against Japan would be intensified this year and that Allied power would be shifted from the European to the Pacific war zones even before the defeat of Germany.

Admiral William F. Halsey, commander of the South Pacific fleet, also told newsmen that new moves against Japan were imminent and he stated that Japan would be hit "continually and unceasingly" and that the enemy would never know where the next blow would strike.

The United States now has powerful aircraft carrier task forces which could strike a crippling series of blows in one area while other fleet units supported an invasion in some other zone hundreds and perhaps thousands of miles away.

FOURTH WAR LOAN DRIVE UNDER WAY IN LAWRENCE CO.

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Roger Jewett, Deputy Executive Director in charge there, Chairman for the campaign are Judge W. Walter Braham and Joel S. McKee.

Bond teams are organized in every precinct in Lawrence County and workers expect to canvass every home. If perhaps your home is not canvassed because you were away at the time the worker called, or if the worker missed you it is not difficult to get a bond. The schools are selling the bonds are selling them, the theatres are selling them and the force in the GNCA office will be delighted to sign you up.

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GERMANS RETREAT IN SOME SECTORS OF WHITE RUSSIA

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yesterday. Far to the south, other air battles were reported, extending even to the Crimea.

Attesting to the violence of the battles north of Uman, in the Bend of the Dnieper river, where the Russians are trying to smash through to the key Odessa-Lwow railroad and the Rumanian border, was the Soviet midnight communiqué. This official bulletin listed as many as 103 enemy tanks, 30 other armored mobile units and 200 motor vehicles as destroyed in a single day's fighting.

The Germans launched "a number of counter-attacks with infantry and armored forces, but, according to the official announcement:

"Our gunners, tank crews and infantrymen repelled with concentrated fire all German counter-attacks, successfully and inflicted on them heavy losses."

Threat Presented
The threat to Novosokolniki was presented by Russian forces sweeping around the White Russian junction from the north and south. The communications center already was neutralized by R-4 army spearheads which crossed the Litudinal railroad north above and below the town.

Taken in the most-recently launched Red army offensive were Kirova, seven miles northeast of Novosokolniki, and Kiselevichi, on the railroad due north of the beleaguered junction.

The Germans offered strong resistance, but nevertheless the Russians advanced to seize several more towns and villages and take booty and prisoners. As many as 1,400 Nazis were slain on this front.

Intense battles raged within the Pripiet marshes, where Gen. Nikolai

In Memoriam

In loving memory of my husband, Brinley R. Owens, who passed away one year ago today, January 18, 1943.

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WIFE SARAH

NOTICE EAGLES

Meet at Eagles Home 7:45 p. m., Tuesday, Jan. 18, to attend funeral services for Wm. G. Dewberry, charter member of F. O. E. 455, at Wyatt Campbell Funeral Home.

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MANNEETTA McCracken TO WED R. J. SITLER

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Marion Mitchell of 617 North Cedar street announce the engagement of their granddaughter, Manneetta McCracken, to Naval Aviation Cadet Robert Jay Sitler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thomas Sitler of Glenn avenue, Ellwood City.

The wedding is planned to take place in the near future, upon the completion of Cadet Sitler's training.

The bride-elect is employed by the Bell Telephone Company as a supervisor.

Cadet Sitler is now taking advanced flying at the United States Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Florida and at the completion of his training he will receive the coveted gold wings of a naval aviator and will be commissioned an Ensign in the United States Naval Reserve.

DEGREE TEAM OF RACHEL REBEKAH LODGE TO DINE

Members of Rachel Rebekah degree team lodge No. 40 will meet Friday evening, January 21, at 6 o'clock at a local tearoom for their annual dinner when discussion of plans for the coming year will be the business of the evening.

Honor Cadet's Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Perry, Wampum R. D. 2, entertained at a family dinner in honor of the 23rd birthday of their son, Aviation Cadet Thomas Perry. Informal pastimes were enjoyed after the dinner. Aviation Cadet Perry has been home on a 10-day furlough from Maxwell Field, Ala.

F. F. FREDERICKS MARRIED 55 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand F. Frederick, 617 Superior street, observed their 55th wedding anniversary on Monday. The occasion was observed quietly on account of the illness of Mrs. Frederick.

The Fredericks have two daughters, Mrs. Freda Brickner of English avenue and Mrs. Bertha Yocky of Ludington, Mich. They have four grandchildren, two of whom are in the service, and nine great-grandchildren.

Relatives, friends and neighbors called informally during the day.

INTERNATIONAL GROUPS PLAN EVENING MEETING

Under the sponsorship of the International Relations committee of the Business and Professional Women's club, there will be a meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m. at the Y. W. C. A. open to all men and women interested in the study of international affairs.

International Relations departments of all clubs of the city have been invited to attend to hear a review of Walter Lippmann's book "U. S. Foreign Policy," by Miss Elsie Calvin of the senior high school history department.

Program committee of the sponsoring group will meet at 7:15 at the Y. W. C. A. preceding the program. Miss Rose Barber is B. P. W. chairman of the International Relations committee.

Club To Meet

Past Worthy Mistress club will meet with Mrs. Walter Parks, Neshannock avenue, on Friday.

FINE ARTS DEPARTMENT MID-SEASON TEA GIVEN

Fine Arts Department of the Woman's club was entertained for its mid-winter program and tea at the home of Mrs. J. W. Moorhead, 219 Edgewood avenue, on Monday afternoon.

An unusual program of poetry interspersed with musical selections received an enthusiastic response. Effect of the reading of well-known poems, as recorded by Norman Corwin, was heightened by complementary musical numbers. Mrs. James B. Hurst gave the explanatory program comment.

Tea was served later with Mrs. Glenn Thropp pouring at the tea table. Refreshment committee was Mrs. H. E. Golder, Mrs. W. A. Woodworth, Mrs. Hiram Lamphier, Mrs. E. L. Thompson, and Mrs. W. J. Caldwell.

Next meeting will be in March when Mrs. Donald Crowe, of New Wilmington, will give a book review.

MRS. GEORGE JONES HONORED BY CLUB

At a recent gathering of the B. and P. Club, Mrs. George Jones, nee Cecelia Turner, was honored at a shower, the occasion being held in the home of Mrs. E. Pinkerton on Emerson avenue on a recent evening, with Miss Eleanor Davis hosting.

In charge, Contract bridge was the diversion, with Catherine Christie winning the honor prize. At the close, a tasty repast was served.

A lovely gift was presented to the guest of honor afterwards.

MARTHA WASHINGTON LODGE PLANS DINNER

Martha Washington Lodge No. 24, L. L. O. I. have plans completed for their sauteurknt dinner event, to be held on Monday evening, January 24 at 6 o'clock in their hall on Neshannock avenue.

Reservations will be given an early count, chairman Mrs. Mary Miller states, who will receive same at the W. R. Hanna home on Englewood avenue. Mrs. Cassie Morrow of Neshannock avenue will also receive reservations.

Walmo Kensington

Walmo Kensington will meet at the home of Mrs. J. C. Williams, Maitland Lane, Walmo, on Wednesday at 1 o'clock.

DENGLER-REITZ WEDDING IN CHURCH

An impressive ceremony took place on Sunday afternoon, January 15, in the Bethany Lutheran church, when the pastor, Louis G. Golder, united in marriage Miss Thelma Dengler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Dengler, 1110 1/2 rear Williams street, and Kenneth Reitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Reitz of Mahoningtown R. D. 7.

In the presence of a gathering of guests, the couple exchanged vows at 3:30 o'clock before the beautifully-embanked altar.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attractive in her wedding gown of white moire taffeta, with fingertip veil. A corsage of white gardenias adorned the white prayer book she carried. She also carried a white kerchief, a gift of her grandmother. Mrs. Wylie H. Shira, Jr., sister of the bride, as matron of honor, chose a pink brocade taffeta gown complimented with a shoulder corsage of gardenias, pink and yellow roses. A locket sent her from her husband in Brazil was her only adornment. Robert Martakala served the bridegroom as best man. Ushering were Clyde Turner and Eugene Reynolds. Donald Turner served as acolyte for the service.

Mrs. Enid McMillin, church organist, contributed further to the impressiveness of the occasion, playing a program of nuptial music. She was accompanist for Miss Cecelia Hughes, who sang two solos, "O Perfect Love" and "Can'ta Wedding Feast".

Following a congratulatory period, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, with a buffet lunch being served. Mrs. Dengler was aided by another daughter, Mrs. William Antilla. Later, the couple left on a short wedding trip, and upon returning, will be at home to friends in their newly furnished apartment at 823 Pearl street, this city.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ruckert of Freedom, Pa.; Mrs. Reitz, Mrs. A. P. Mowrey of Summerville, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Mowrey of Brookway and Miss Edith Hoover of New Wilmington.

Wednesday

Woman's Club, sewing at Jameson Hospital; 9 to 12; Welfare Dept., Sponsors.

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International Relations study groups, open meeting, 8 p. m., Y. W. C. A.

Jameson Memorial hospital sewing, 9-12, welfare department of the Woman's club.

Emerson, Mrs. William Jinks, Boyles avenue.

1934, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Andrews, Garfield avenue.

S. Y. W., Eleanor Evans, Lutton street.

Wednesday Dinner, Mrs. William Kleckner, Butler avenue.

Lazy Daisy, Mrs. Clarence McConnell, 931 Beckford street.

Friendly Friends, Mrs. Frank Kelly, Robinson street.

E. N. C., Mrs. Clarence Johnston, Walnut street.

Third Term 500, Mrs. Blanche Snodgrass, West Pittsburg.

Friendship, Mrs. Joseph Scrim, Wallace avenue.

G. F. M., Florence Caruso, Hamilton street.

N. O. T., Josephine Russo, Friendship street.

Pandoras, club rooms.

Kable-Ashton Post 8 Auxiliary Auxiliary to Kable-Ashton Post No. 8, Society of the Twenty-Eighth Division A. E. F. met at the home of Mrs. Harold Blewitt, Laurel boulevard, on Monday evening.

After business, to towel shower was tendered the hostess and games were the pastime during the remainder of the evening. Prizes went to Mrs. Harry Ryhal, Mrs. Fred Wallace and Mrs. Norma Miner. Later a delicious lunch was served.

Mrs. Jesse Wilson of Dewey avenue will entertain at her home on February 10.

Nora Landis Circle Members of the Nora Landis Missionary Circle met in the home of Mrs. Paul Jones, Garfield avenue recently.

Mrs. Kitty Fombelle and Mrs. Thelma Lutz conducted devotions. Special guest was Mrs. Anthony Pegley, returned missionary from Arizona. Mrs. Pegley spoke on the Navajho Indians, and she displayed interesting handicraft of the Indians.

Assisting the hostess in serving was Mrs. Olive Dunt. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Oliver Hurst, Winter avenue.

The Streamliners Mrs. Rose Sturdevant, Albert street, was a pleasing hostess Monday evening when she entertained members of the Streamliners' club. Cards were the main diversion of the evening. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Ben Hartland and Miss Thelma Kerber.

Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Miss Kerber, Ray street, will receive the group in her home in two weeks.

Shower Party Mrs. Randall Shaffer of 932 Temple avenue entertained a group of friends Friday evening at a personal shower in honor of Mrs. Blaine Borman, who received many beautiful gifts.

The evening was spent in informal pastimes. A tasty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Ruth Borgu.

Fourth Birthday Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hilton, of Rear 806 Chestnut street, entertained small friends of their daughter Alice Elaine on her fourth birthday, January 13. Mrs. Leroy Lutz and Miss Myrna Loy assisted the hostess.

Past Noble Grand To Meet Past Noble Grand Association of Rachel Rebekah Lodge No. 40 will meet with Mrs. Viola Buell, Conkle avenue, on Thursday evening, January 20, with Mrs. Kate Withers as co-hostess.

Simon Relief Corps Louis E. Simons Women's Relief Corps No. 11 will meet in the Neshannock avenue lodge hall this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Installation of officers is scheduled.

Junior C. D. of A. Members of the Junior C. D. of A. will have their meeting, Thursday evening, in St. Mary's church basement at 7:30 o'clock.

CURRENT EVENTS CLASS REVIEWS WORLD EVENTS

Mrs. Leslie Wilson received members of the Current Events Class at her home, 413 East Winter avenue, on Monday afternoon. Current happenings of the day were discussed.

Mrs. Carmi Glover will represent the class at the Federation meeting on January 19. Critics for the day were Mrs. Mont Alley and Mrs. John Madigan.

A committee was appointed to make arrangements for the February luncheon: Mrs. Charles W. Marks, Mrs. Leslie Wilson, Mrs. Frank R. Woods, Miss Mary Alice White, and Mrs. Russell Shields.

Mrs. Cora Tucker, of New Bedford, was a special guest.

Next meeting will be January 31 at the home of Mrs. Frank R. Woods, 423 East Sheridan avenue.

CARAVELLO-MOZZOCO WEDDING IN CHURCH

Miss Mary Caravello, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Pisto Caravello, West Pittsburg, and Angelo Mozzoco, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mozzoco, 423 Shady-side, were united in marriage Saturday morning, the nuptial mass being celebrated in the Holy Cross church, West Pittsburg, Rtv. Fr. Doyle officiating, using the double ring ceremony. Mrs. Frances Colao was the organist.

The bride given in marriage by her brother, Frank, wore a white satin princess style gown, with sweetheart neckline, and seed pearls. She wore a long lace veil, and carried white roses and gardenias. Her only jewelry was a gold cross, a gift from the bridegroom.

Miss Florence Caravella as her sister's maid of honor wore a peach satin gown, and carried roses. Bridesmaids Elizabeth DeMatteo and Sue Mozzoco, wore blue and duobonnet velveteen gowns, and carried matching flowers.

Pfc. Daniel A. Mozzoco was his brother's best man. Ushering were Lorain (Fuzzy) Kennedy and Angelo Caravello.

After the wedding breakfast, the group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Mozzoco, where the wedding dinner was served. A reception followed in King Humbert hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Mozzoco are on a wedding trip, and upon their return will reside at East Reynolds street.

Both attended New Castle high school. Mrs. Mozzoco being employed at the Central Lunch, and Mr. Mozzoco is affiliated with Johnson Bronze Company.

Tigers Auxiliary Members of the Tigers Auxiliary met in the home of Mrs. Anthony Fulgo, Agnew street, Monday evening, and card playing was the pastime after business.

High score prizes were captured by Mrs. Fred Gillett, Mrs. Ralph Staph and Mrs. Anthony Croach. The club token was won by Mrs. John Caligore. Birthdays of Mrs. John Caligore and Mrs. Felix Mele and the wedding anniversary of Mrs. Anthony Mozzoco were honored, and they received big sister gifts.

Serving the delicious lunch later were Mrs. Domenick Vitale, Mrs. Carl DeMatteo and Mrs. Anthony Mozzoco.

January 31 is the meeting with Mrs. John DeSantis of Lutton street, co-hostesses being Mrs. Ernest Gillett and Mrs. Anthony Croach.

Dinner For Pvt. F. B. Dunlap Pvt. Forrest Bruce Dunlap, who is here on furlough from Fort McDowell, Angel Island, Cal., visiting his wife and little son, Forrest Bruce Jr., was the guest of honor at a family dinner party on Sunday.

Parents of Pvt. and Mrs. Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Buchner, of 1610 Albert street, were hosts.

Among the out-of-town guests were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Dunlap and sister Shirley, of Alliance, O. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Osterling of Butler, Mr. and Mrs. William Schlemmer and daughter Carolyn May, of Ellwood City.

Farewell Dinner Louis DeMarco, of Moore avenue, who will leave Wednesday for army service, was the guest of honor at a dinner given Sunday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick DeMarco, of rear 921 South Mill street.

Section B. Y. L. B. Section B of the Y. L. B. class of the Third U. P. church, will meet Thursday evening with Mrs. E. F. McKibben, Winslow avenue.

Metronome Magazine has voted Artie Shaw "The Musician of the Year."

Perry Como, Bea Wain and Captain Glenn Miller's Band are in the latest "March of Time" film titled "Upbeat in Music."

Today's favorite Victor and Bluebird records are "I Must Be Jelly" - Miller; "Your Socks Don't Match" - Waller; "Do Nothing 'Til You Hear From Me" - Ellington; "Holiday For Strings" - David Rose, and "Don't Cry, Baby" - Erskine Hawkins.

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The Parent Problem

By Garry C. Myers, Ph. D.

HELP FOR STUTTERING CHILD

Many children under six stutter some and they can easily become stutters for a lifetime, if not treated wisely at home. Naturally the parents think of the mechanics of stuttering rather than the whole child and his emotions. Accordingly, they incline to interrupt him as he stutters, telling him to speak slowly or repeat after them.

Judging from a number of letters I read, an occasional family doctor who has no appreciation of the emotional aspect of stuttering will also advise the mother to do some of the very things she should be cautioned not to do.

Here is a sample:
"My five year old boy stutters. He has gone for a period of four weeks when he did not stutter at all, and then he started again."

"I have consulted our doctor and he told me not to worry, but to correct him each time."
Curative Treatment
The best means of cure, in case of the young child, is to discipline yourself so as not to seem to have any anxiety over his stuttering—either by your speech, demeanor, gestures, or even your breathing; to build up your child's health, with the doctor's aid; provide him with an atmosphere of serenity and family affection and to read to him.

While the speech expert may, by working directly on the patient, be able to help many older children of school age, they rarely can do much to help the very young child. Indeed, direct treatment of him, such as by mechanical exercises, tends to make him worse, since it makes him more self-conscious of his stuttering without his being able to derive a plan for self-help. Since stuttering is primarily emotional, and the parents and other members of the family have most to do with the young child's emotions, these persons need to be worked on rather than the child. Indeed, successful speech experts dealing with school children have, in recent years, been placing less emphasis on direct work on the patient's speech and more on his teachers, parents, even his classmates, to make them more considerate of him.

The World and the Mud Puddles

VARIETY OF CEILINGS

The OPA may not have placed a price ceiling on all commodities, but they are working very hard at the job. If they would only put a price ceiling that would stick on labor, we might applaud the OPA. For a short time after this notable bureau announced price ceilings on furs, it seemed that the ceiling structure of far-reaching aristocracy might come toppling to the ground. Reading the price list, one could envision the day when the promise of a mink coat to wear on her afternoon off would be no more inducement to a housemaid than would the promise of an old mackinaw.

For OPA had set a mere twenty dollars ceiling on mink, while ermine was a measly four dollars. But along toward the end of the list of ninety-seven domestic and foreign varieties of pelts was something called squirrel backs—ceiling, one hundred ninety-five dollars. Here was obviously the most expensive luxurious fur in the world.

Society gasped and shuddered, but not for long. OPA came along with the explanation that squirrel backs are the backs of Russian squirrels, dressed, dyed, stripped and sewed together in sufficient quantity to make a fur garment.

OPA didn't explain why it priced everything else by the pelt, including one hundred twenty-five dollars for American silver fox and seventeen cents for Scotch mole and then put a fur-blanket price on backs. Perhaps OPA just wanted to see society jump.

Health Talks
By DR. W. A. WOMER
City Health Superintendent

SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Sunday School is a very important institution. It is a great help to the Department of Health. Morals and health are closely related. The social diseases are causing a lot of trouble in our armed forces.

The Sunday School cannot prevent these diseases entirely, but it can do more than the Department of Health and the government put together.

It is remarkable how well the Sunday School functions on a purely voluntary basis.

Parents should take their children to Sunday School. If boys and girls attend Sunday School regularly for fifteen years they are pretty safe.

Hints On Etiquette

Why not say "Thank you" when polite people hold doors open for us, or do other little courtesies that seem rather unusual in these hurried days?

Words Of Wisdom

Good counsels observed are chains of grace.—Fuller.

Labor is important, but we stand or fall by management. It was management that made too much ammunition instead of things we need.

Toonerville Folks

By FONTAINE FOX



HINTS AND DINTS

Sun sets tonight 6:20. Sun rises tomorrow 8:35.

Mr. Wilkie is keeping the politicians busy. Every thing he says or does causes a lot of comment.

There are not many people who can laugh off their troubles these days.

A New York City poultry show, we read, has grown highly popular with the denizens of Manhattan. Broadwayites, naturally, would be very curious to see what the original type of chicken looks like.

If any people in this world today have a real right to vote it is our soldiers.

Hi Hum says he knows a fellow who figures he's done his share for the war paper drive by turning in his 1943 calendar.

Casey—"It's an elegant time I had Saturday night, but the devil a bit of it I can remember after midnight."

O'Brien—"How do you know you had a good time, then?"

Casey—"Sure, and I heard the officer telling the judge about it Monday morning."

The government is still paying pensions for the war of 1812. It is getting ready to pay pensions for the present war which will be the biggest ever paid.

Mankind, according to an astronomer, will disappear from the earth a billion years from now. However, the way the world is getting knocked around it will vanish long before that time.

No proper punishment has as yet been suggested for Hitler.

Nervous, indeed, must be the post war planner who fears the war may end before he finishes his post war planning.

In Great Britain, we read, Canadian quarters are causing considerable confusion because they look so much like shillings. The white penny epidemic must be contagious.

Eat-it-and-have-it-to-depart ment. In Indiana a girl bit into a hamburger and found a red ration coupon imbedded in the meat.

We know a bird who knows his car is at the door because he can hear it knocking.

Some people will spend ten dollars on a canary and others will spend fifty dollars on a lark.

It is claimed that it takes 3,000 nuts and bolts to hold an automobile together. Just the same it only takes one nut to scatter it all over the country.

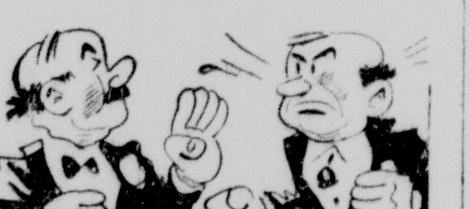
Most people are more anxious to see dandelions this time of the year than to see robins.

The post war eskimo pie, we read, will have a shatter-proof coat. Made of soybeans, we're afraid.

Scrap is being brought to this country from the battlefields of Europe. It will be made into new weapons to help win the war.

Winning the war this year is more important than the election next year.

Ethiopia is reported to have the poorest telephone service in the world. No wonder, a survey shows 50 different languages are spoken in that country.



Still, if everybody had the kind of job from which nobody could have him fired, who would preserve the custom of good manners?

If Roosevelt gets stuck on important questions the waiting list in the barber shop can settle them for him.

Pap says when the fellows he owes begin to advise him to spend his money, he'll begin to think the advice is real.

Elective courses: The ones that permit a college student to choose his method of loafing.

He nash' reached the top layer in Washington until it becomes sacrilege to quote him directly.

LOOKING AT LIFE

By ERICH BRANDEIS

Do you remember how, when you were a kid you instinctively took a dislike to anything your mother said was good for you?

Well, that's the way I feel about classical music, highbrow concerts and opera.

It's good for you, people tell you. It's the thing to be seen in Carnegie Hall, all dressed up, or in your own auditorium, whenever some "great" artist (artist if it's a female) comes to town.

As far as I am concerned, symphonic music, arias screamed in a language "that I don't understand," fat boys in funny pants chasing busom dowagers all over the stage, wild singing the same thing over and over again—I don't get it.

I want to feel my music. I want it to go to my heart, yes, sometimes even to my senses.

Musical should be a tonic, a perfume, an appetizer. It should be like your arm around your girl's waist on a moonlight night, or like a pleasant evening with congenial and convivial friends.

Or it should be like a Sunday morning in church or may be even like a visit to the grave of a beloved one.

Give me that rousing "Oh, What a Beautiful Morning" from "Oklahoma," or give me "This Is the Army, Mr. Jones." I can whistle that; I can see it; I can feel it.

There probably hasn't been any new, less artistic, in a century than "Pistol Packing Mama" or "The Music Goes Round and Round" or "Yes, We Have No Bananas."

But you know how they go, don't you? You can hum them, whistle them, chuckle at them.

But how about Shostakovich's great symphony? Yes, how about it?

This is how the learned critic of a New York newspaper raves about a symphony he heard at Carnegie Hall:

"Like the shimmering sonorities of his master, the glittering and noteworthy textures of Bohuslav Martinu are, for all their transparency, an inflexible medium of expression. Applied to straightforward melodies of songlike character or to the semi-abstract motifs that are the basis of symphonic continuity, they create a dichotomy of style that suggests a photograph of your Aunt Sophie in front of the Taj Mahal."

Walter, pass the nuts please, and put another nickel in the juke box for me.

I want Music!

What Noted People Say

(International News Service)

CENTREVILLE, Delaware — Admiral William F. Halsey: "This is going to be a long and costly war and we might as well steel ourselves for it."

HONOLULU — Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, addresses a Texas round-up. All of us and hundreds of thousands of other Americans along with our Allies will road these broad, open spaces of the Pacific until our treacherous enemy is roped and tied and properly branded so our descendants may always recognize his true character."

WASHINGTON — Senator Arthur Capper, Republican from Kansas sees a fourth term declaration in President Roosevelt's state of the union message: "I trust my general impression of the message—that it was very largely a campaign speech for re-election to a fourth term—will not prevent me from giving due weight to such legislative proposals as were included."

SPRINGFIELD, Illinois — Gov. Dwight H. Green: "The philosophy of scarcity in all its ramifications must go."

Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST

HUNTERS' WIVES

"Wouldn't that outdoor men must keep their love of trophies hidden deep and never show a moose's head. Until long after they are wed; And never show the feathered fowl. The quail, the partridge and the owl.

Or mounted fish on panels stained. Until the honeymoon has waned. Oh never would such men have wives.

To comfort, cheer and share their lives. Behold them clattering up the place. With long dead relics of the chase; A moose head fearful in the hall; A sail fish on the library wall.

A goose in imitation fish; Its dingy plumage far from white; And, Oh! must horrors never cease?

Dead ducks above the mantel piece. Which wives must daily dusting go. Like keepers of a wax works show.

Well, never was a man but what had when his good wife wished he'd not.

And never was a man so good But what she'd change him if she could.

Oh, staunch is woman, aye and brave! Unto the man she loves a slave. In spite of all his silly ways. Devoted unto him she stays.

In spite of all the things he brings For her to dust, to him she clings!

Bible Thought

Thou has also given me the shield of Thy salvation; and Thy right hand hath holden me up, and Thy gentleness hath made me great.—Psalm 18:35.

The final proof of hospitality is to welcome week-end guests who don't bring any ration points.

Inside Washington

Once Dreary Capital Aglow With Activity
Railroad's Plea To Stay Off Trains Fails
Senator Ball's Wife Proves Valuable Aide

By HELEN ESSARY

Central Press Columnist

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The president has got over that "code in the hall" Congress has buttoned on its gaiters. Girded on its good resolutions. Shined up its nicer sentences. Washington is about to be itself again.

Recess is over. School is open and that slightly dreary pall that has been hanging over Pennsylvania avenue for the past two weeks or so has lifted. It's been too calm in Washington. I've been hearing strangers say, "Where's that bustling, mad noise you've been boasting about? Lancaster, Pa. is more fun. Especially on a Saturday night."

Well, the breathing spell hasn't been bad for the country. Or the world either. The big drive against the Nazis will soon be on and heaven help us all.

It's easy to see the mistakes in the psychology of other people's crusades. But I know of one bit of propaganda that has worked the wrong way. I mean the request of the railroads and the government, too, that people stop traveling during the war.

Obviously, the request hasn't been obeyed. For there are more civilians on trains than ever before. I know of more people going places now when travel is discouraged than in the days when travel was boosted. We're not an obedient people, we free-thinking Americans. If we had been told, "Come on, get on the trains, the traveling's fine!" we would probably have stayed at home.

The very worthy efforts of a certain Washington woman to serve afternoon callers with a nice cup of tea instead of those expensive old-fashioned and things make me believe that bootleggers may have to come back to town if social Washington is to survive the dry spell.

This good woman, realizing that tea-making is a lost art, is likely to throw any kitchen into the nervous jitters and smash up the best china, set her tea-drinking stage early one morning. She got out the family silver service and with her own newly manicured hands polished up same. Then she climbed up to the top pantry shelf to find a half forgotten present—a jar of jasmine flower tea.

The little glass and silver tray for the lemon slices had to be looked up and shined. A special trip to the bakers for some special tea cakes came next. Then an anxious arrangement of sandwiches and toast and jam and repeated directions to the cook who seemed at the moment never to have heard of a cup of tea.

After about three hours' work of one sort or another I almost forgot the low bowl of flowers on the tea table, the hostess arranged herself graciously and she hoped to have the guests. The guests hour and the guests. The guests came in buoyantly unaware of what awaited them. "What's this?" they said suspiciously. "Why, it's tea. And don't you love tea?" said the hopeful hostess.

"I certainly do love tea," said the wife of one of our better-known senators, but it keeps me awake. If I had a cup now I'd go to sleep for hours tonight. Just give me a cup of hot water and lemon."

The second guest said that for some strange reason tea gave him indigestion. He'd just eat a cake or two. He couldn't stay long, anyhow.

Everybody present had some good reason for not drinking tea except the hostess. She took three cups quickly. Then, seeing too clearly the woebegone look of her callers, excused herself for a moment, rushed from the dreary room, dug out her last bottle of bourbon, whisked up some old-fashioned and bore them in to the silent company. "Here," she said roughly, (Continued On Page Seven)

Financial Editor Asks About Roosevelt's Budget

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(INS)—A New York financial editor revealed Monday that President Roosevelt's proposed 1944-45 budget actually calls for expenditures of 350 million dollars more monthly than actually is being paid out to run the war.

"Even granting that the European war will still be on in 1945," wrote Leslie Gould, financial editor of the New York Journal American, "there are other factors which show the utter unreality of the president's budget requests."

Gould continued: "First off, the war spending in the current fiscal year is considerably under the budget figures being at the monthly rate of around 7 billion dollars against 7 billion 375 millions in the current budget, and the president's request for 7 billions 350 millions for the year starting July 1."

"The heaviest spending on the war in any month to date was 7 billions 79 millions in November. In December the spending fell off 10.8 per cent to 6 billions 931 millions. And in this month—January—the spending will be around 7 billions 200 millions."

"This is with a war in Europe and a war in the Pacific running at the same time, and during a period of expansion of the army, building up the necessary stock piles for invasion, and construction of the two-ocean navy."

"For the year starting July 1, the president asks for around 350 millions more a month spending than is actually being paid out in the current war."

"If all that doesn't add up particularly when these additional facts are considered:

Great Game Of Politics

By FRANK R. KENT
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By The Baltimore Sun

Will He Support Himself?

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—IT IS easy to point out, as many are doing, that the recommendations in the President's message are mostly for steps that have been urged upon him almost from the beginning of the war. In fact, it can be truthfully said that the domestic situations which he now deplores are largely of his own creation; that the remedies he proposes are the ones he has consistently refused to apply; that he, himself, has been the chief obstacle to action along these lines.

FOR EXAMPLE, had he shown anything save disapproval, a national service act could have been passed two years ago. And while he now appeals for a "realistic" tax law, it was his opposition that long ago prevented enactment of a general sales tax, which is the most realistic and needed of all. Finally, it is a little absurd for him to ask Congress to "transcend politics" when he has not transcended politics himself. All these things are true and they account largely for the lowered prestige of the President and the stress with which Congress now regards his pleas.

BUT THERE is no use stressing these things now, though the self-righteousness with which the message reeks and the way in which he avoided frank presentation of the ugly labor facts are a temptation to indict him both for a lack of candor and a lack of courage. However, the important thing is that belatedly, but with apparent earnestness, he is now urging a national service act and a realistic tax bill. On these two proposals he ought to have full support. Of course it would have been better had he told Congress and the country that the reason he is forced to plead for a national service act is because there have been more than 5,000 strikes in two years; that the "no-strike" pledges of the labor bosses are wholly ineffectual; that his labor policy has been a failure; that recent strike threats have increased the peril of inflation; that there are more strikes in the offing, sure to prolong the war and cost American lives.

HE did not say any of these things, though they are true and he knows it. He did say that the War and Navy departments and the Maritime Commission considered a national service an essential and that he agreed. On the tax bill he urged realism and nonpartisanship, but it would have been more effective if he had recognized that the Treasury's original bill was a political bid designed to remove taxes from some 10 million voters—and if he had let it be known that he would no longer oppose a sales tax. Perhaps this is too much to expect from him, and the main thing is to further his larger recommendations anyhow—because they are sound and right.

NEVERTHELESS, this ought to be made clear—adoption of the recommendations depends largely upon Mr. Roosevelt himself. If, having thrown them into the lap of Congress, he takes the view that he has no further responsibility, it is perfectly clear that we will have neither a national service act nor a decent tax law. On the other hand, if Mr. Roosevelt backs up his message with the full weight of his administration and his own personal strength, there is a very good chance of his achieving what he has through. In the New Deal days be- (Continued On Page Seven)

WORLD LANGUAGES

Standing out among abstract suggestions of how to make a better postwar world is the concrete proposal by a committee of educational authorities representing the United Nations governments in exile that English and French be made world languages after the war.

This committee, headed by the Netherlands minister of education, M. Gerritt Bolkestein, through whose initiative it was created, makes four recommendations: that both English and French be introduced into the higher grades in elementary schools of the Allied countries as compulsory subjects; that the teaching of English be stressed in all schools; that only English and French be used in international meetings and conferences; and that all publications designed for international use be published either in English or French or be accompanied by substantial summaries in those languages. To keep the arrangement from being one-sided it would have French taught in elementary schools of English-speaking countries.

In a report submitted in London the committee says that linguistic barriers have hampered international cooperation; that agreement on the choice of auxiliary language will provide a medium, hitherto lacking, for improving international understanding. It says:

It cannot in itself be expected to be a guaranty against conflicts. Modern history knows many conflicts between people of the same language. But a conscious and purposeful effort to promote international understanding could not be fully effective if it was hampered by linguistic difficulties.

The committee, composed of representatives of Belgium, Czechoslovakia, France, Greece, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland and Yugoslavia, made no attempt to find a new international language, saying that it sought no substitute for existing tongues. Its members did not feel they must seek a common denominator for the confusion of languages which has caused trouble and misunderstanding at Babel. The simplicity of their proposal, however, as compared with the difficulties of attempting to introduce artificial international tongues, commends it.

Today, with the eyes of the world upon us, THE FOURTH WAR LOAN IS LAUNCHED!

TODAY, the 18th of January, America's Fourth War Loan starts.

It is the largest of all war loans in terms of *individual participation*—in the amount you must dig down for.

And—it is, perhaps, the most important of all War Loans. For it comes at a time when the eyes of all the world are upon us; the eyes of our friends, the eyes of our enemies, the eyes of our own fighting men.

We have just entered the crucial year of the war, a year of destiny, a year that promises to decide how good or bad a world we'll have to live in all the rest of our lives. And the world is wondering how deeply we mean it when we promise our men we'll back their attack, and when we promise our Allies we'll stick with them not only through the winning of the war but through the winning of the peace as well.

The Fourth War Loan is the home front's first big test of this new and vital year. It will take unity and determination of will of *all the people* to make the Loan succeed.

The need for this and other War Loans should

be clear to every American. This war is the costliest effort ever undertaken by any country. It costs 250 million dollars each day. This is just the cost of the war, in addition to the regular, inescapable cost of running a great and huge country. Taxes can't take care of all this outgo. Neither can government borrowing from insurance companies, savings banks, corporations, and other large investors. It is necessary to turn to the people, their weekly wages, their savings accounts, the money tucked away in pantry sugar bowls, in socks, under mattresses.

This is as it should be. In a democracy, war is the business of all the people. Some must fight, some must work and put up the money.

It's the *only* way to raise the money. It's also the *right* way to raise the money. It gives you a good place to invest the extra money you have today. It's a curb on inflation, on that dangerous bulk of pocket money that leads to black markets and disastrous spending. It's a mattress for tomorrow, a sort of individually planned Social Security that will bring in welcome money in the years ahead when income might not be the Mississippi flood it is today.

These last are not the reasons for the Loans.

They are extra reasons, however, over and above the \$1 interest you get on every \$3 you invest. The fundamental reason for the Fourth War Loan is that your beloved America, at war and in danger, needs your help!

Every one who has a job or savings, should invest *at least* \$100—if possible, \$200, \$300, or \$500 *extra*. Some 5,000,000 Americans, volunteers, will be working to sell these Bonds. One of these volunteers will ask you to buy, where you work, at your home, or some other place. If by some chance, you're missed, find out where to buy and buy on your own.

The place where you work will have a quota. That's where you should make your major investment. That's where your *personal* quota really counts.

But...

The place you live also has a quota. Try to invest there, too. Other people will ask you. Salespeople, in retail stores, have volunteered to help and have an individual quota. If they ask you to buy, try to buy from them, too. Movie theaters, restaurants, schools, banks, postoffices, and many other places also will be selling bonds.

The Fourth Loan is a test of us as a nation.

The eyes of our fighting men are upon us to see if we are backing them.

... The eyes of our Allies are upon us to see if we are with them.

... The eyes of our enemies are upon us to see if we are soft enough to fall for a non-victorious, here-today-gone-tomorrow peace...

Are we? The answer is in your pocket!



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ALLIED CIRCLES STILL PUZZLED

Item In Russian Paper On War
Rumor Has Created
Sensation

By CHARLES A. SMITH
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)
LONDON, Jan. 18.—Allied circles, still puzzled by yesterday's ten-line item in the Moscow newspaper Pravda quoting an alleged rumor of British-German separate peace talks—wholly denied by Britain's foreign office—pondered that pre-invasion bombshell today.

A Reuters news agency dispatch from Moscow said, meanwhile, that none of the other Moscow papers reproduced Pravda's Cairo rumor today, nor did they refer to this British denial.

Pravda does not appear on Tuesday's but, according to the Reuters dispatch, it was felt the paper may carry the foreign office statement denying the alleged rumor tomorrow.

London's newspapers were up in arms at the hint carried by the Communist party organ, a quasi-official publication, attributed to Greek and Yugoslav sources and written by a Pravda correspondent in Cairo.

The Daily Mail bluntly heralded the report as an "insult to the British people."

"It bears all marks of enemy origin," the Mail added. "It is astonishing that a responsible newspaper like Pravda should have given it publicity. It must be remarkably ignorant of British national standards."

Editor's Note: There is strict censorship in Cairo, and informed circles expressed wonderment that the dispatch, apparently planted by Nazi sources seeking to sow discontent among the Allies, got through. Pravda's statement that the meeting "did not remain without re-

sults" contained the obvious inference that partial success came from the alleged meeting, which the rumor said took place between two British officials and Nazi Foreign Minister Joachim Von Ribbentrop in the Pyrenees mountains.

Tumbler Suffers Fractured Hip

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(INS)—The tumbling days of Umberto Veraci, 45-year-old member of the comedy-acrobatic team known as the "three mandels" may be over for good today. Veraci suffered a fractured hip during yesterday afternoon's theater performance.

No one in the audience suspected anything was wrong when Umberto climaxed the act by doing his usual double-somersault onto a table. His two partners carried him off stage, where he was rushed unconscious to the hospital.

Doctors said he would be confined to bed for at least two months.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

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fore the war, that was the way he operated. He not only made strong personal appeals to individual Congressional leaders but he sent Cabinet members and White House aides to the Capitol. He and they used every means of persuasion they had—which were many and potent.

IF THIS time he will do just half he did in his fight to pack the Supreme Court he almost surely will get through his chief recommendations. In his court fight he had a bad cause and public sentiment against him. In this case he

has a good cause and public sentiment with him. In brief, if he supports his own proposals, as he has supported others, he will win. Strikes will be rendered impossible and the war shortened. If he does not support them strongly, if he fails to follow through, if he says, in effect: "Oh well, I've made the recommendations—it's the fault of Congress if they do not go through"—then they will not go through and the country will have a right to question his sincerity. Those are the facts. As for Congress, that body might well recognize that to reject the President's request for a national service act is, as General Marshall said of the recent railroad and steel strikes, to give the enemy a propaganda weapon which, conceivably, may prolong the war.

Try The News Want Ads For Results

INSIDE WASHINGTON

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"take them. I give up. I simply can't stand that drooping spaniel look another second."

People—Eric Johnston, president of the United States Chamber of Commerce, helped adjust wires of the balky loud-speaker system the night he made a speech at the Women's National Press club. Johnston, regarded as a national live wire began work as a vacuum cleaner salesman and then went into the electrical business. He is now finishing a book for which en-

thusiastic publishers have paid large advance royalties.

Senator Joe Ball of Wisconsin eats lunch with his own wife every day in the senate dining room. Mrs. Ball manages her husband's offices, discusses his speeches with him and is always present at his request when Joe talks over the radio. Mrs. Ball was a reporter on the newspaper on which her husband began his national career as a political reporter.

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Native Tells Yanks Correct Answer

SOMEWHERE IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC — (Delayed) — (INS)—A group of marines on this island were arguing noisily as to the height

of the Empire State Building while Nao, a native, washed their clothes. Each man had his own figure and was soundly vetoing all the others. Finally the native interposed. "No one right," he said. "Empire State Building 1,250 feet high." A check-up proved he was correct. Had he ever been to New York? "No," said Nao, "just good reader."

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**Report Danish
Police Are Held
Nazi Hostages**

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 18.—(INS)—The Germans today occupied the Danish police headquarters in Copenhagen and held 600 policemen as hostages, according to information reaching Sweden.

No reason was disclosed as the immediate cause of the action, but sabotage has been mounting in the Danish capital. Two machine plants were reported destroyed there this morning.

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**REPORT SOFIA IS
BEING EVACUATED**

Report Via Stockholm Says
Members Of Government
Lead Flight From City

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Members of the Bulgarian government and other high officials contributed to the chaos in the bomb-wrecked capital of Sofia by fleeing the city in the vanguard of evacuees seeking a safer haven, according to a report today from Budapest.

The Budapest sources, understood to be authentic, said that half of Sofia now lies in ruins as a result of American and British air raids. Fully 80 per cent of the capital's population was said to have evacuated.

The day after the last American bombing raid on Sofia neutral diplomats reportedly could find no officials in the Bulgarian foreign office.

The Budapest advices said that only the warning example of Italy keeps Bulgaria from the throes of civil war.

The controlled Hungarian MTI agency today transmitted a dispatch asserting that it had been announced "officially that Sofia continues to be the seat of the Bulgarian government." The dispatch, reported by the U. S. foreign broadcast intelligence service, said "this disposes of all rumors alleging moving of the government to one of another provincial towns which are thus exposed as untrue."

A dispatch to the Soviet News Agency Tass said that Central Sofia and adjacent districts had been destroyed by bombing and all government buildings and hotels and barracks used by the Germans were either badly damaged or destroyed. Communications were reported virtually knocked out and water and light services were said to have been disrupted. Casualties reportedly were heavy.

Domestically, the Jap agency said in a broadcast recorded by the U. S. Foreign Intelligence Service, that "all staff members of the Japanese legation in Sofia, including Minister Akira Yamaji, are safe and sound."

A report from Switzerland last week said the Jap minister had been killed during the last raid on Sofia.

**Loses 25 Pounds In
Order To Join WAC**

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(INS)—A New York girl who shed 25 pounds so she could join the armed services was a WAC today, despite the fact that she is still five pounds over the maximum weight limit.

Army officials waived weight requirements for Miss Margaret Stamp, 26, after hearing her story, and her plea that she be permitted to serve her country as her two brothers, Cecil and Arthur, are doing in the Army.

There was 20 pounds too much of Miss Stamp when she first applied for enlistment, so she was turned down. She immediately went on a rigorous diet, exercised in a gymnasium and took long walks, determined to lose five pounds a month and renew her application at the end of six months.

The six months were up last Friday, but she was still five pounds over the limit. Army officials shook their heads.

Then Miss Stamp brought her powers of eloquence into play. She cited the record of another girl who, although overweight, was accepted, and subsequently earned the soldiers medal by saving a soldier in Africa.

That clinched it. The Army decided that anyone so determined to overcome obstacles would make a good soldier.

So today Miss Stamp is "in," and expects to receive her assignment in a few days.

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**Bergdoll's Family
Awaiting Return**

DOWNTOWN, Pa., Jan. 18.—(INS)—The wife and six children of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, today awaited his homecoming next month from an army prison where he has been serving a sentence for draft dodging in World War I.

The war department has confirmed Bergdoll's impending release after four years and 10 months of a seven-year term at Fort Leavenworth, Kans.

"I'm glad he's on his way home at least," German-born Mrs. Bergdoll said at Harmony Hill, the 260-acre farm which she purchased in 1940, near Downingtown.

She said she expected her husband to join her, but did not know exactly when, or what his plans would be.

Bergdoll, scion of a wealthy Philadelphia family, married the blond daughter of a German city official in 1926 while he was in self-imposed exile in that country. He returned to the United States in 1939 and surrendered to federal authorities.

**Report U. S. Gunner
Got Eight German
Planes In Attack**

LONDON, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Staff Sgt. James R. Hamilton of Joyce, town, Ky., gunner aboard the American flying fortress "Bad Penny," was credited today by nine members of the crew with shooting down at least eight German fighters in an attack on Oechersleben.

Hamilton had knocked one enemy plane out of the air when he was hit and became unconscious. He quickly revived, however, and fought savagely against Nazi fighters for three hours despite loss of blood. The German attacks were incessant because the "Bad Penny" had been damaged and forced out of formation.

First Lieut. Fred Grimham, of Coral Gables Fla., pilot of the fortress, said of the gunner's achievement:

"It is hard to believe, but nine of us saw it and if Hamilton didn't get at least eight German fighters we will eat our helmets, earphones and all."

An official assessment of Hamilton's score has not yet been announced. Hamilton is recovering from his wounds.

**Invasion Plans
Nearly Complete**

LONDON, Jan. 18.—(INS)—London newspapers said today that, with the arrival in England of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, supreme command of the tremendous allied invasion machine is nearly complete.

Only a few major appointments remain to be announced.

"Eisenhower's presence here means in fact that everything is almost in readiness for the greatest test in the history of the British and American armies," the Daily Mail said.

"When Eisenhower left this country to command the North African landings he was little more than a name to the British people. After 14 months he returns with the highest reputation as supreme commander. He will go to Europe as the scourge of a race that drove his forefathers out of Germany in the 17th century with religious persecution."

**More Food For
School Lunches**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(INS)—The Office of Administration relaxed rationing restrictions today to provide more meat and other rationed foods for school lunch programs.

This development followed a request by President Roosevelt, in his budget message to congress, for \$9 million dollars to carry the school lunch message through the 1944-45 fiscal year.

O. P. A. said "for most schools" the allowances represent an appreciable increase in the amount of their food allotments for meat and for processed foods.

**Colombia Joins
United Nations**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(INS)—The Republic of Colombia has become the 34th nation to subscribe to the United Nations declaration when President Alfonso Lopez signed the document at the White House.

President Lopez and his newly appointed ambassador, Dr. Gabriel Turbay, were guests of President Roosevelt at an informal luncheon in the president's study.

Earlier, Ambassador Turbay presented his credentials to Mr. Roosevelt.

Colombia's adherence to the United Nations declaration was dated as of Jan. 1.

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NEWS AND VIEWS AT CAPITAL

(International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Jan. 18.—Harmony prevails on the surface of both political parties but underneath there are the usual currents of dissatisfaction that mark pre-convention sessions of the Republican and Democratic state committees when members and officers are elected for two-year terms.

Joseph N. Pew, Jr. of Philadelphia, president of the Sun Shipbuilding & Drydock Co. and G. O. P. financier, reportedly seeks to unseat former Sen. Joseph R. Grundy, wealthy Bristol manufacturer, from the driver's seat in party councils.

Similar undercover contests have occurred in the past but Grundy has managed to stave off defeat.

The state's quota has been fixed at \$978,000,000. Marvin Guffey has pledged party unity, as in the past, but the olive branch may again be shattered when control of the committee is at stake.

Pennsylvania schools have been given a quota of \$25,000,000 in the fourth war loan campaign opening January 18, according to James W. Marvin, deputy manager of the Pennsylvania War Finance Committee.

The state's quota has been fixed at \$978,000,000. Marvin urged schools to participate in the "buy a plane" campaign which will enable schools to have their names placed inside a plane bought with funds they contributed.

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**J. A. McSPARRAN
DIES AT LANCASTER**

LANCASTER, Pa., Jan. 18.—Join A. McSparran, long a leader of Pennsylvania farmers and one-time secretary of agriculture, died Monday. He was 70.

He was the Democratic candidate for governor in 1922 and from 1931 to 1934 held the state cabinet post.

He had been in a hospital here about two weeks, but had been ill for about two months.

**Two Congressmen
Are Being Elected**

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Voters in Philadelphia and adjacent Montgomery county went to the polls today to choose two congressmen as the weather turned warmer but slightly cloudy.

A special election in the second Philadelphia district controlled by the New Deal since 1936, was ordered by Gov. Martin after Rep. James P. McGranery resigned to become special assistant to Attorney General Francis Biddle. McGranery, who served during three sessions of congress, barely won the last time with a plurality of 713 votes.

Simultaneously, voters in the 16th congressional district (Montgomery county) will select a successor to Rep. J. William Ditter, of Ambler, killed in an airplane crash near Columbia November 21, and will elect a state representative.

The Montgomery county elections will not give an accurate estimate of Democratic strength because Republicans have a registration majority of more than 74,300 in the wealthy "main line" section.

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STATE FARMERS ARE IN SESSION

Farm Show Meeting In Progress
At Capital Without
Usual Displays

By JOHN PAGET
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

HARRISBURG, Jan. 18.—The 28th annual Pennsylvania farm show opened at the state capital today amid a drab wartime setting reflecting the serious problems confronting the state's 160,000 farmers.

The three-day meeting will be marked by the business sessions of more than 50 farm organizations and will lack the colorful exhibits which highlighted the exposition in other years. Several thousand delegates were expected to attend.

Gov. Edward Martin will address a joint session of farm organizations tonight.

"Out of these meetings should come significant recommendations and resolutions as each group endeavors to establish a program of action that will best help farmers; dairymen, poultrymen, fruit and vegetable growers and others to solve the many problems attending the war."

He said the primary object of the "wartime farm week" was to unite state, county and local farm organizations with the department in order to accelerate a campaign for maximum farm production during 1944.

"This is an occasion when the management and educational aides of agriculture come to the front," Horst declared. "Farmers have some real problems that they will try to solve through consultation and cooperation."

He explained that the most "pressing problems" hampering production included shortages of farm labor, farm machinery and feed for livestock and poultry.

"They will want to know how they can maintain record-breaking livestock and poultry populations and high egg production in the face of falling prices and increased feed costs," Horst said. "They would like to stop the steady decline in milk production. Answers will undoubtedly be found for some of these emergency problems."

Other speakers for tonight included Horst and S. W. Fletcher, Dean of the school of agriculture at the Pennsylvania State college. Secretary of Internal Affairs William S. Livingston, Jr., will address the Pennsylvania Dairyman's association tomorrow night.

Penn State agricultural college officials were scheduled to outline plans of the extension farm service and the experimental stations while farm organizations slated discussions on conservation, price ceilings, irrigation and land reclamation, and farmer cooperatives in the post-war era.

SOME MAY WORK 12 HOURS
HARRISBURG, Jan. 18.—(INS)—In order to meet the manpower shortage, the Pennsylvania railroad announced today that many workers at its Harrisburg and Enola car distribution points will be placed on a 12-hour basis in place of the present eight hours a day. They will receive time and one-half pay for overtime.

The extended work-day will begin Wednesday and affect conductors, brakemen, car cutters, markers and car shovers, many of whom already are working on a 12-hour basis. It does not affect engine and road crews.

DARLINGTON SOLDIER MISSING IN ACTION
BEAVER FALLS, Jan. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. William D. Kelly, of near Darlington, received word their son, William, Jr., has been missing in action in Italy since December 14.

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BUTLER AVIATOR KILLED IN CRASH
BUTLER, Pa., Jan. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Rettig were notified today by the army that their son, Cadet Clarence H. Rettig, died when a plane in which he and another cadet were flying, crashed at Blytheville Field, Ark.

The accident occurred last night. Rettig had served 11 months, and expected to get his wings within 30 days. He is survived by five sisters and four brothers.

YOUR FEDERAL INCOME TAX

No. 13
NORMAL TAX, SURTAX AND
VICTORY TAX

The Federal income tax payable for 1943 is divided into three parts—the normal tax and the surtax, which together compose the regular income tax; and the victory tax. The total of these taxes, in all ordinary cases, represents the total tax payable on 1943 income.

Exceptions arise in cases involving computation of normal tax and surtax where there have been certain capital gains or losses, in which case an alternative computation is permitted, provided there are no long-term capital gains in excess of net short-term capital losses; or where a taxpayer holds bonds with a tax-free covenant (bonds in which the issuing corporation pays part of the income tax on the interest), in which case a deduction of the amount paid by the corporation is allowable against the tax computed on the return.

On short Form 1040A, the combined normal tax and surtax is shown in a table and requires no multiplication. In the long Form 1040, these taxes must be figured separately by percentage rates. The victory tax requires percentage computations on both forms.

Changes in these taxes are made from time to time, but the rates and methods in effect for 1943 follow:

Normal tax: This is a flat 6 per cent of all your income after deducting personal exemption, credit for dependents, earned income credit, deductions for charity, etc.

Surtax: This is a varying percentage of your income but with fewer deductions. Deductions allowed in computing normal tax but not for surtax purposes are the earned income credit, interest on certain Federal securities, and dividends on share accounts in Federal savings and loan associations, issued prior to March 28, 1942. The surtax begins at 13 per cent on the first \$2,000 of income subject to surtax, proceeds at 16 per cent on the next \$2,000, 20 per cent on the next \$2,000, and continues climbing until it reaches 82 per cent on all income subject to surtax which exceeds \$200,000. These steps in the surtax are frequently called "brackets."

and if you hear some one speak of being in the "first bracket" he means that his income subject to surtax (technically called "surtax net income") is not more than \$2,000.

If your surtax net income is higher than \$2,000, each bracket of income is still taxed at the rate for that bracket, and the total surtax is merely a total of the surtaxes computed for each bracket. Thus, if your income makes you subject to the maximum surtax of 82 per cent, that rate applies only to the surtax net income over \$200,000 while each portion of the first \$200,000 is taxed at lower rates. A ready means of figuring surtaxes is provided in the instructions accompanying long Form 1040. The instructions provide a table which shows you how much the cumulative surtax is at the beginning of each bracket. For instance, the tenth bracket is for surtax over \$18,000 and under \$20,000. Instead of making 10 different calculations, the table tells you that the cumulative surtax on the first \$18,000 is \$5,040. If your surtax net income was \$19,000, you would need only to figure the tenth bracket rate of 46 per cent on the \$1,000 in the "tenth bracket" which would be \$460, and add the \$5,040 to get your total surtax of \$5,500.

Victory tax: This is a temporary wartime tax. The exemptions and deductions are different and fewer than in the case of either the normal tax or surtax. The tax is 5 per cent, less a credit formerly called postwar credit which reduces the tax by one-fourth or more depending on whether you are single or married and how many dependents you support. In short Form 1040A, the tax is expressed as a net rate after allowing for the credit. On long Form 1040, the tax and credit have to be figured separately because persons using this form may be affected by limitations on the credit. These limits do not affect the user of the short form which is restricted to persons with net income not more than \$3,000.

Name Plane Crew Lost In Crash In West Virginia

TAMPA, Fla., Jan. 18.—(INS)—Six airmen were killed and a seventh injured in the crash of a Flying Fortress from MacDill Field near Elkins, W. Va., during a blizzard Sunday night.

The plane was on a combat training flight at the time of the crash, the announcement stated, adding that searching parties found the wreckage after tramping 20 miles through a blinding snowstorm.

Officials added that the plane crashed into the side of a mountain, and was badly damaged.

The dead were listed as: Lieut. William R. Sablotny, Hobart, Ind.

Sec. Lt. Nolan E. Gluttry, New Braunfels, Tex.

Sec. Lt. Kenneth A. Johnson, Chicago.

Sec. Lt. Melvin M. Feiman, Canton, Ohio.

Sgt. Joseph P. Matthew, Jr., Los Angeles.

Sgt. George H. Gossert, Carmel, Ind.

The injured flier was identified as Staff Sgt. Harry O. Smith, Reading, Pa.

Christmas Tree Farmer Becomes Factor In State

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—The Christmas-tree farmer is an important agricultural newcomer in Pennsylvania. He is doing a \$1,000,000 business in Susquehanna, Columbia, Indiana and Franklin counties.

From this area came 1,000,000 trees for the Christmas season, or about one-tenth of the country's holiday tree requirement, formerly supplied almost exclusively by Canada and New England.

Federal and state governments are giving the Pennsylvania Christmas-tree farmers all possible assistance and encouragement because their work is recognized of invaluable aid to soil conservation, watershed protection, flood control, reforestation and propagation of wild life.

As an illustration of this, take the case of Andrew Abraczinskas and his son, Duke, who raise 2,000 to 2,500 Christmas trees an acre on their 900-acre farm near Catawissa in Columbia county.

The Abraczinskas spring went dry years ago when a neighbor cut all the trees from a hillside adjacent to their farm. Andrew Abraczinskas bought the hillside, replanted it with evergreens and restored his spring.

A tree crop takes six to eight years to reach the cutting stage and then it brings about \$900 per acre, according to the Abraczinskas.

BOND INCENTIVE
CAMP EDWARDS, Mass.—(INS)—"Buy war bonds and kiss a cutie."

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- Close off rooms you do not use; close bedroom doors at night if windows are open; see that fireplace dampers are closed.
- Eliminate the use of Gas to supplement other fuels.
- Check your heating plant, replace or clean filters, insulate your water heater.
- Learn to cook with low flame in small amounts of water to save Gas and vitamins.

... And remember—it's the contribution of many individual homes that makes this possible.



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AROUND CITY HALL

City council convened Monday in council chambers and frowned upon a notice from the West Ridge Bus company that it had applied to the PUC for a certificate of public convenience—to operate helicopters for public use following the war. City Solicitor Robert White told council that the move was to "pre-empt a monopoly" and added: "I thought the boys are fighting all over for freedom. There is no present need but the company wants to procure the privilege before time arrives." The solicitor said he would dislike very much to see council act favorably upon the application. Council agreed with the solicitor and filed the communication. The hearing will be held in Erie in February.

Public Safety Director D. O. Davies has been confined to his home because of illness for several days.

During council meeting Monday in city hall colleagues voted favorably for a resolution submitted by Improvements Director James Gibson exonerating service men from paying personal taxes while they are in the service.

Motorists should operate their cars sanely through school districts. One child's life is worth all the autos on the thoroughfares. The men who soon will take over the guardianship of the children will be watchmen and while they will not possess the power of arrest on view, they can appear as witnesses against any motorist who disregards children's safety.

Possibility exists that in the future whenever anyone desires to use the third floor of the city building for a meeting for the welfare of the general public the number of persons who will be expected at the meeting may be asked. City officials do not want the third floor room

over-crowded because of safety reasons.

Sixty nine dwellings were built here during 1943 according to statistics provided by Neil Williams of the city bureau of building. The cost of 1943 construction was \$401,953. His report shows two stores, \$1,875; 48 private garages, \$9,345; two factories, \$4,200 which coupled to the \$401,550 for the 69 dwellings shows \$418,415 spent on new construction. The remainder of \$63,540 was for remodeling.

MAY TRY NEW BOMB
LONDON, Jan. 18.—(INS)—A Stockholm newspaper was credited today with the report that the Germans may test out a new, liquid air-rocket bomb on the Russian front in the near future. The Daily Express said that the newspaper Tidningen attributed the report to "unspecified neutral military circles." Presumably the bomb, if successful against the Russians, would be turned against Anglo-American forces.

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CLASS PARTY

Members of the Young People's Senior Bible class of the Christian church and their teacher, Fred Coates, met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Stump of the New Castle road recently. A short business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Stump.

During the social period, movies were shown by the host. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. John Elby. The

class will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Whiting, on Wednesday, February 9.

HEADS SAFETY COUNCIL

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Announcement is made of the election of Charles R. Cox, president of the National Tube company and Tubular Alloy Steel Corporation, to the office of president of the Western Pennsylvania Safety Council.

Cox will supervise the 20th annual western Pennsylvania safety conference, a three-day meeting in April, for the discussion of accident prevention for war workers, both on and off the job.

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May Soon Release U.S. Railroads From Control Of Army

Believe Last Obstacle Will
Soon Be Removed By
Wage Agreement

By PHILLIP J. PECK
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18. — Removal of the last obstacle to release of the nation's railroads from army control was anticipated today—a formal announcement of an agreement ending the year-old wage dispute of 15 non-operating rail brotherhoods.

Indications were that an official disclosure might be made before President Roosevelt's special railway wage board, although the pact reportedly had yet to be signed and receive the approval of Economic Czar Fred M. Vinson.

No objections were expected to terms of the agreement, said to provide for a sliding scale pay increase of 9-to-11 cents an hour for the one million, 100 thousand non-operating rail workers.

The "Big Five" operating brotherhoods—trainmen, engineers, conductors, firemen and switchmen—previously signed contracts with the carriers calling for a pay boost of nine cents an hour.

After completion of the non-operating pay pact, the war department is expected to move swiftly to restore the railroads to their owners. The lines were seized Dec. 27 to safeguard transportation against a threatened strike.

CAN COLLECTION COUNTY REPORT

Over 23,500 Cans Are Turned
In By Pupils Of County
Schools During Week

Students of the county schools turned in 23,598 tin cans in the can collection during the past week according to a report today by Hugh Chaplin, county chairman. Two schools reported 100 per cent collection, Hillsville 3898 cans and Sunny Avenue with 1449. The high collector for Hillsville was Elmer Wohlgenuth with 240 cans. Individual highs for the county went to Union township, with Colonel Edward Taylor, age 11, grade 6, turning in 702 and Colonel David Rusu turning in 700.

The figures for each of the schools reporting follow:

Hillsville	3898
Sunny Avenue	1449
Chester Indp.	1050
New Bedford	998
St. Jackson	2456
Bessemer	2010
Ellport	2067
Clay-Moore	981
Union	3690
Walmo	419
Shenango	3190
Shenango-Taylor	440
East Brook	550
Total	23,598

MERCER LICENSE
A marriage license was granted Monday in Mercer to Paul W. Leasure, New Castle, and Grace Naomi Parish, Edinburg.

JOSEPH'S Super Market

11-13 East Long Ave.
Phones 5032-33-34

Extra Large Temple	59c
Oranges, doz.	49c
Seedless	10 for 49c
Grapefruit	45c
150 Size Sunkist	45c
Oranges, doz.	10c
Large Head Lettuce,	10c
head	10c
Extra Fancy Escarole,	10c
lb.	6c
New Cabbage,	6c
lb.	

Every Day a Bargain Day

Lawrence County EGGS

32c doz.
AXE'S

32-34 N. Mill St.

FIRESTONE SYNTHETIC TIRES

Grade 1—All Sizes

TRUCK TIRES

All Sizes

FIRESTONE STORES

22 N. MILL ST.

First Missing, Now Reported Killed In Action

Pfc. Stanley William Puchlopek,
son of Mrs. Sadie E. Puchlopek, of
37 Good avenue, was killed while
serving in action
for his country.



The telegram received from adjutant general, J. A. Ulio, informed the Puchlopek family that Pfc. Puchlopek was now determined as being killed in action since February 14, 1943, in Tunisia. Last March the family received a telegram stating that he was missing in action, and since that time no other word was received, and it was hoped that he was still alive in some country. The family recently received the second telegram.

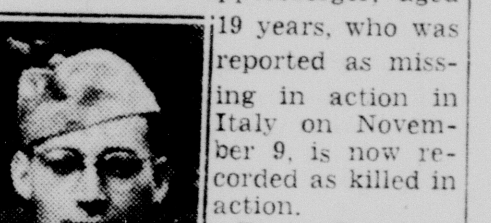
Pfc. Puchlopek was inducted into service October 29, 1941, and received his basic training at Fort Belvoir, Va., for 14 weeks. After he arrived at Fort Knox, Ky., with the engineering battalion and from there was transferred to Fort Dix, N. J., where he was stationed a month before leaving for duty overseas.

The soldier was well-known in this community, having many friends. He was a member of SS. Philip and James' in church. Another brother, Frank Puchlopek is also in the U. S. Army. His mother, Mrs. Sadie Puchlopek, another brother, Joseph, and a sister, Mary, are at home.

Pvt. Ruppertsberger Killed In Action

Mother Receives Later Message
From War Department; Pre-
viously Reported Missing

Mrs. Hazel Ruppertsberger, of 126
Quest street, has been notified by
the War Department that her son,
Pvt. Kenneth Ruppertsberger, aged



19 years, who was reported as missing in action in Italy on November 9, is now recorded as killed in action.

Pvt. Ruppertsberger was serving with the Fifth Army in Italy, in the infantry, and had been in service for approximately nine months. Prior to entering service he was a baker at the Danish bakery in this city.

Slot Machine Seizures Cause Court Inquiry

ALTOONA, Pa., Jan. 18.—(INS)—Charles E. Rhodes, three times mayor of Altoona and who completed his last term January 3, today prepared to appear in the Blair county court at Hollidaysburg to answer questions in connection with the seizure of slot machines in 1940.

County Judge George G. Patterson ordered Rhodes to appear February 7 "to show cause why pinball and slot machines were held at city hall and why he failed in the performance of his legal obligation and duty to make a return according to law within the statutory period."

The ruling was handed down after City Solicitor Samuel H. Jubeliner presented a petition asking for permission to destroy the machines and make disposition of any money found therein. The machines were seized from fraternal clubs and remained locked in a city hall room.

Sugar Cured Bacon Squares, lb. 19
Lean Meaty Boiling Beef, lb. 15
U. S. No. 1 Maine Potatoes, pk. 49
Satisfaction Coffee, lb. 20
3 lb. 59
"It's in the Bag"
Wilson or For-Get-Me-Not Milk, 3 tall cans 25
Pillsbury or Gold Medal Flour, 25-lb. sack, 1.25
Greenville Peanut Butter, lb. jar 19
Greenville Mustard, full qt. 9
Strikelite Matches 3 boxes 10
Michigan E-Z Cooker Navy Beans, 2 lb. 25
Duff's Bulk Molasses, qt. 40
Gal. 1.33

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Unless checked, this waste paper shortage will seriously affect shipments to the fighting fronts.

Are we going to let it add weeks, even months, to the war?

Are we going to let this waste paper shortage condemn thousands of American boys to the casualty lists? Boys from our city . . . perhaps from your own family?

You can help prevent it . . . IF YOU WILL!

HELP OPEN THOSE 25 WAR PLANTS!

Here's what you can do . . . you and all other home

front fighters who want to help.

Save waste paper—make it a regular habit! Save old boxes, cartons, store bags, envelopes, corrugated paper, newspapers, magazines and waste-basket paper. Bundle newspapers, magazines and paperboard separately. All other paper can be bundled together.

Tell your friends and neighbors to do the same. Turn the boys and girls into paper commandos!

Above all . . . don't burn any waste paper. Don't throw any away . . . save every scrap.

WE MUST START THOSE 25 MILLS AGAIN!

WE MUST KEEP THEM RUNNING . . . KEEP THE WAR GOODS ROLLING!

Do your part.

Time is short . . . so start saving today . . . right NOW!

SAVE A BUNDLE A WEEK— SOME BOY'S LIFE!



NEWSPAPERS: Fold them flat (the way the paper boy sells them) and tie them in bundles about 12 inches high.



MAGAZINES AND BOOKS: Tie them in bundles about 18 inches high.



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U. S. Victory WASTE PAPER Campaign



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—Paper is substituting for critical materials. Savings of 215,000,000 pounds of critical metals; 36,000 pounds of plicofilm; 750,000 pounds of glass; 12,000 pounds of rubber; 220,000 pounds of cellophane; and 8,000,000 board feet of lumber, were reported in one year by the industry.

Send your waste paper into the fight! This newspaper will keep you informed as to the progress of the Waste Paper Campaign in this city.

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The Boy Scouts and the Girl Scouts will act as the collectors in New Castle.

FIRST INGATHERING
SATURDAY, JANUARY 29

NEWS ON COURT HOUSE HILL

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Richard Miles Chittester, R. D. 2, Kane; Frances Udovich, Bessemer; John W. Morgan, Beaver Falls; Edith G. Whittle, Beaver Falls.

DISCHARGE RECORDS

Ten thousand sets of discharge records and identification cards for service men will be prepared by the county and distributed through veterans' organizations. On Monday morning the county commissioners approved the idea and authorized their being printed. The same thing has been done in other counties.

REALTY TRANSFERS

New Castle to Lawrence Conservators, 3rd ward, \$50.
Earl R. Beighly and others to Andrew F. Kritschner and wife, Ellwood City.

LAWRENCE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

To Clarence Daugherty and others, Perry township, \$45.
Frank Ferrigno to John Hughes, 5th ward, \$1.
John Hughes and wife to John R. Thomas, 5th ward, \$1.

SEVEN LEASES

Seven more leases have been added to the long list of oil and gas leases in North Beaver township. All seven are to the Peoples Natural Gas Co.

REGISTRATION PLACES

In order to give every citizen not registered to vote a chance to get registered for the coming primary election the county commissioners have named points in the county where registrars will sit on special days to be announced later. There will be five places in New Castle, the 2nd, 6th and 7th ward fire stations, and the offices of Aldermen James C. Brice and B. J. Biondi.

Throughout the county the places will be as follows: Ellwood City, 2 days, Bessemer, South New Castle Boro, Ellport Boro, New Wilmington, Wampum, Enon Valley, Hillsville, New Bedford, Walmo, Union township (Oakland), Shenango township, (East New Castle), Harlansburg.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR STREET BIDS

Authority was granted by the county commissioners Monday to prepare 80 street lists following the closing of registration. Under the law street lists must be furnished to all county committees of legitimate political parties, and to all

derstand Pravda's object in publishing a report entirely at variance with the existing treaties between Britain and Soviet Russia, which rule out the possibilities of a separate peace, and which were officially reinforced, re-emphasized and implemented at the recent Moscow and Teheran conferences.

It does not answer this question to point out that contrary to published reports, Pravda is not the official organ of the Soviet government.

Pravda is the accepted mouth-

piece of the Communist party. The Russian government newspaper is Izvestia.

POST 6-2 MEETING POSTPONED

Business meeting of Post 6-2 Sampson street, has been postponed from tonight to Tuesday, January 25, at 8 p. m. This will be an important meeting and Ed Johnson, senior warden, asks that all members make a special effort to be present.

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22 S. MILL STREET OPEN EVENINGS

Road Superintendent Speaks To Truckers

Edwin O. Reed, superintendent of the state highways in Lawrence County spoke to the Lawrence County chapter, Pennsylvania Motor Truck Association Monday night when the truckers held their monthly dinner meeting in the Castleton.

Mr. Reed showed the truckers the difficulties encountered in winter weather and said that he and his force were always interested in getting highway hills ashed in times of snow and ice.

Clayton Bryan, general chairman of the Ladies Night dinner which will be held February 26th discussed arrangements with the members and checked the ticket sale. The sale for the dinner must be kept at a limit of 250 due to seating limitations.

Bees are said to possess in a high degree the sense of smell.

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Pennsylvania On Parade Is Snappy Show

Local Committee Gets Preview Of Show Coming Here On January 29

As an absolute MUST on your entertainment schedule for this month, mark down "Pennsylvania On Parade" and a ring around Saturday, January 29, when the New Cumberland army show comes to New Castle. It is even better than "Soldiers in Grease Paint" which played here for the WAC recruiting campaign and that show rang the bell.

To get some idea of what "Pennsylvania On Parade" is like, a committee went to Pittsburgh Monday night and saw it presented in Syria Mosque. The committee came back as enthusiastic as a farm boy after his first circus. The show is as full of hit numbers as a bus at 4:30 in the afternoon.

Rhythm and Harmony
Carrying the show through is a 26-piece band that might have just come from a hotel engagement in New York. It's that good. In it are a number of former well known professionals, several of whom are seen in solo appearances. The dancing is good, the satire is good and you'll threaten the security of your vest buttons at the "Ferdinand the Bull" skit.

The show will be free insofar as any cash admission is concerned but every seat holder must have a bottle of beer.

The better the bottle the better the seat which seems fair enough. Bonds purchased now get the purchaser a seat for each bond and the seating capacity is limited to about 3200.

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runs from a burlesque on the Andrews sisters to some really fine vocal numbers. In between are fool-ahment.

You'll be buying bonds, of course, that's part of the job back here at home. But this time you get some entertainment for your bond purchases that in value adds up to about eight years interest on a \$1000 bond.

Perhaps you gather that we saw the show Monday night. That's right.

Sixty Thousand Volunteers Start War Bond Drive

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Sixty thousand volunteers went into action today, canvassing in the fourth war loan campaign and hoping to raise the 19-county Pitt area's \$325,497,000 assignment in the drive beginning today and ending February 15.

The canvassers will concentrate on homes, manufacturing plants, offices and other places of business for sale of "E" bonds—the "peoples' bonds"—which are quoted for the area at \$78,354,000. Allegheny County's "E" bond quota is \$44,071,000. Including other types of bonds, the Allegheny County total quota is \$220,783,500.

'Heil Hitler' Is Fading In Ruhr
NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Residents of the bomb-rocked Ruhr valley of Germany aren't coming through with the old "Heil Hitler" much these days.

When they greet one another, instead of raising the hand in the once-popular salute and booming the approved heil, they have a tendency to say nothing at all or to mutter some "indifferent greeting formula."

And that, it was disclosed today, is considered a major breakdown in Reich etiquette by the newspaper Nationalzeitung, which is owned by Reich's Marshal Hermann Goering, who told Germans a few years ago—including residents of the Ruhr—that Allied bombs never would fall on Germany.

Failure to say "Heil Hitler" indicates a "negative attitude," Goering's newspaper said, according to the OWI.

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White Leghorn Fresh Country Eggs, 39c doz.
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IN U. S. ARMED SERVICE

(War Censorship Regulations Limit Information Allowed in This Column)

Henry I. Weinhold, fireman 2-c of the U. S. Naval Training station at Great Lakes, Ill., a resident of Chicago, Ill., formerly of 917 Loraine avenue, this city, has completed his boot training and is spending a few days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Patton, 907 Loraine avenue.

Earl J. Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Reynolds, Cecil avenue, R. D. 2, has been promoted from private first class to corporal T-5. Corporal Reynolds is stationed at Puerto Rico.

Pfc. Garth L. Weir, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Weir, of Beaver Falls, Pa., has been transferred from Fort Belvoir, Va., to Barksdale Field, La. He was a week-end guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Fosnot and Mrs. Essie Tillia, of Wampum.

Storekeeper 3-c Mary E. Hahn is spending a leave at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hahn, 818 Beckford street. She has completed her training at the U. S. Naval Training school at Indiana University.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rowles of Butz street have received word that their son, William J. Rowles, has been promoted to gunner's mate, second class.

Sgt. Clyde Fye, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Fye, R. D. 2, has returned to Camp Haan, Calif., after spending an 8-day furlough at his home.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Houk of R. F. D. No. 1 that their son, Robert Henderson Houk, who is with a combat engineer unit, has been promoted from second lieutenant to first lieutenant.

He has been on maneuvers recently in Tennessee, but expects to be assigned shortly to a camp in North Carolina. He is 28 years of age and has been in the service since June 1941.

Bluejacket Julio Johns, Seaman 2-c, Volant, R. D. 2, has completed his basic recruit training at the Naval Training Station, Sampson, N. Y., and has been granted leave.

Word has been received by Mrs. Carmela Torsello that her nephew, Pvt. Mike Spiotto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nazzario Spiotto, of 7121 South Hermitage avenue, Chicago, Ill., is now stationed at Camp Reynolds.

He visited with his aunt, cousins and Pvt. Victor A. Torsello over the week-end.

Word has been received of the promotion of Donald D. McIntosh, son of George McIntosh of 410 Garfield avenue, from staff sergeant to technical sergeant. He is stationed at Fort Benning, Ga.

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Aviation Cadet Fred N. McConnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. McConnell, 938 Beckford street, has been sent from Winfield, Kansas, to Blackland Army Air Field, at Waco, Texas, where he will receive his advanced flying training.

Mo. M. M. 3-C Joseph Hudah has been transferred from Miami Beach, Fla., to Brooklyn, N. Y., according to word received by his wife, Mrs. Joseph Hudah, of Southview avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Gonda, of Southview avenue, have received word that their son, Michael Gonda, has been promoted to sergeant. Sgt. Gonda is stationed at Camp Pickett, Va.

Aviation Cadet Thomas Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Perry, of Wampum, R. D. 2, has returned to Maxwell Field, Ala., after spending a 10 day furlough at his home. Aviation Cadet Perry has finished preflight training and now will be sent to Primary Flying Command for advanced training as a bomber pilot.

Pfc. Albert A. Lasteria, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Lasteria, 1307 Croton avenue, has completed training and has been graduated from the Army Air Forces Training Command school, Chanute Field, Ill., where he received instruction in the propeller specialist course.

Pfc. Doris Agnew of 761 Arlington avenue has arrived home on a 15-day furlough from Tampa, Fla., where she is a typist with the Third Air Force. Her brother, Sgt. Dean Agnew, is with the signal corps in North Africa. The two are children of Mrs. C. C. Witmer of Arlington avenue.

Sgt. Donald McKee, who has been critically ill for the past week in the Yuma Air Base hospital, Arizona, is showing some improvement, according to word received from the hospital by his mother, Mrs. Jane McKee, of 1215 Finch street.

Cpl. Tom Powell of the Marine corps, who was invalided home suffering from malaria and jaundice after having done considerable action in the South Pacific during more than a year's time, has arrived here to spend a 30-day convalescent furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Powell of Maryland avenue. Corporal Powell took part in the action on both Guadalcanal and Rendova.

Sgt. James E. Rice, formerly of Richfield avenue, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jesse N. Rice, this city, who has been stationed in Trinidad for the past three years on active duty, is spending a thirty day furlough at the home of his sister, and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carson of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

Sgt. Rice expects to spend a few days of his furlough in New Castle.

Pvt. Paul Newman, who has been stationed at Camp Sibert, Ala., with the chemical warfare branch of the Army Air Corps, is spending a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Newman, of R. F. D. No. 4.

Eugene J. Frenzel, aviation machinist's mate 3-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Frenzel, Moravia street extension, is home on a 21-day leave from the South Pacific, where he has been in action.

Andrew M. Karshnak, aviation machinist's mate 3-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Karshnak, of 4 Southview avenue, is home on a 21-day leave from the South Pacific, where he has been in action.

Word has been received here that Cpl. Frank J. Benfield, now serving in North Africa, has been promoted to sergeant.

Pvt. Carl DeMatteo, Jr. of Fort Sill, Okla., has returned to his duties after spending a 14-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl DeMatteo, 110 Sankey street. Another son, Pvt. Anthony DeMatteo of Angel Island, Island, Calif., has arrived home for a 15-day furlough.

Aviation Cadet Albert L. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jones, Route 7, Mahoning town, Pa., has reported at the Army Air Forces Training Command station at Perrin Field, Texas, for basic pilot training.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McClurg, of Stuyvers, formerly of New Castle have received word that their son, John, has been promoted from Corporal to Sergeant. He was recently awarded the Good Conduct Medal. He is at the present time stationed at Camp Campbell, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Probst, of East Winsty avenue, have received word from their son, Sergeant Robert C. Probst, Parachute Rigger, who was stationed somewhere in New Guinea, that he is now convalescing at 42nd General Hospital in Australia. Also long letter from another son, Pfc. William J. Probst, that he has arrived safely in New Guinea. He is attached to the Transportation Corps, and was formerly stationed at Camp Stoneman, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Probst have five sons in the Armed Forces.

Cpl. Leonard Cimperman has returned to Army Air Base, Greenville S. C., after spending 10 days furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cimperman of Good avenue, this city. Cpl. L. Cimperman is taking up attitude training in the U. S. Army Air Corps.

Word has been received here stating that Stanley Sisco, son of Louis Sisco, 5 East Reynolds street, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. Sgt. Sisco is stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Sgt. Sylvio Durbin and Pfc. Frank Durbin, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Durbin of Boston avenue, have completed a two week furlough spent at the home of their parents, and returned to their respective duties. The former is stationed at Fort Crockett, Texas, and the latter at Cherry Point, North Carolina.

Word has been received by Mrs. Kathleen Wellman, of 315 Sampson street, that her husband, Daniel Wellman, stationed in Iran, is now a corporal having received two promotions in a week, first to pfc., then to his present rating. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wellman of the Harlansburg road. He is attached to a railroad battalion.

Sgt. Vito Pallero has been transferred from Fort Bragg, N. C. to Camp Mackall, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Cover of New Castle, R. D. 2, were pleasantly surprised Saturday evening, when their two sons Pfc. Dwight E. Anderson of Fort Meade, Maryland, and 2120-brother, Pfc. Lewis M. Cover, of

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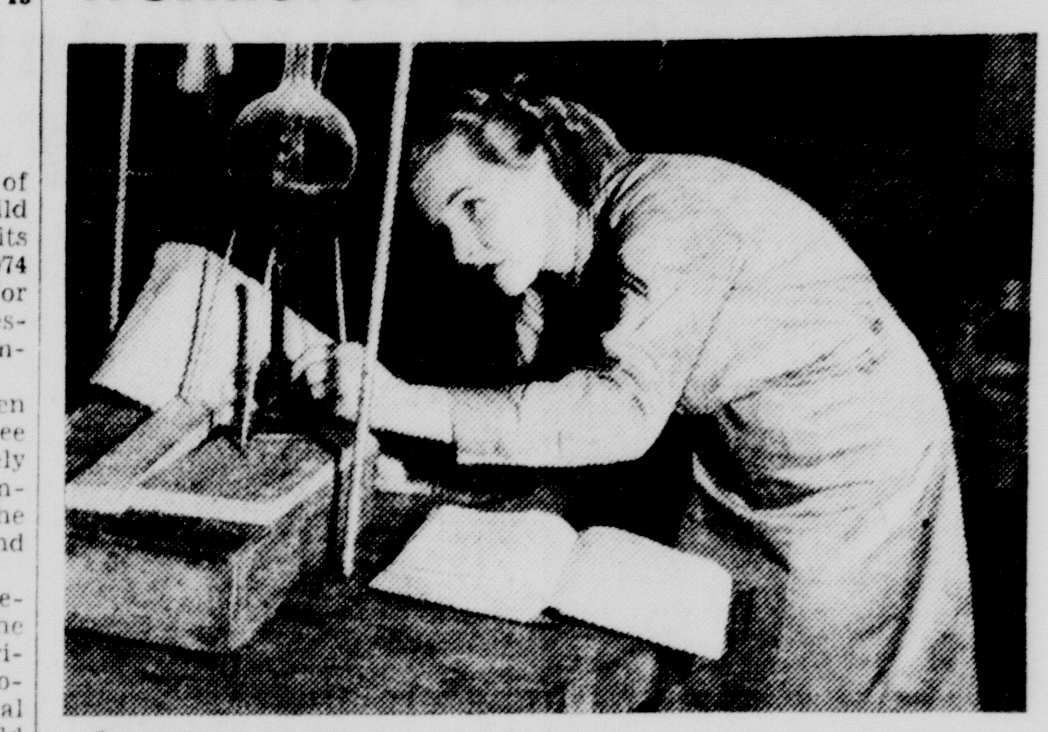
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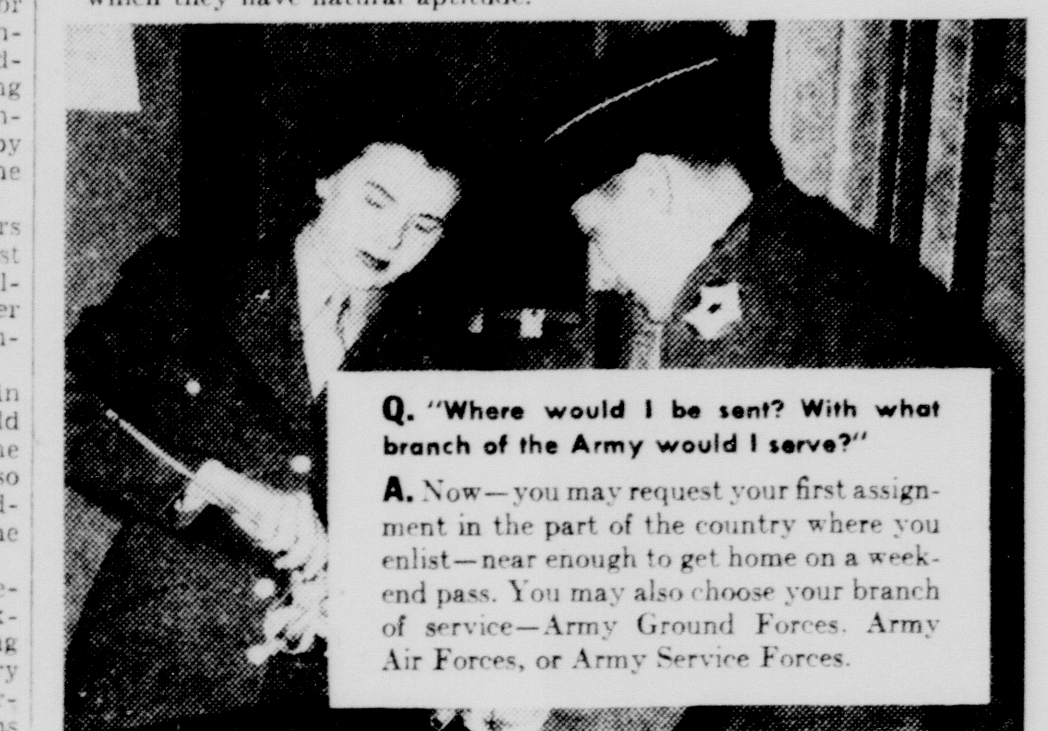
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Q. "Aren't there enough Wacs without me?"

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WOMEN'S ARMY CORPS

Banking Industry Working On Plan For Reconversion

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—The banking industry is working out plans to tide medium-sized plants of the country over reconversion difficulties after the war.

"The assistance on the part of the banks," according to Percy C. Madeira, Jr., president of the Land Title Bank & Trust Co. in Philadelphia, "may have to take forms other than that of financial aid, such as help in formulating peacetime products."

"Land Title Bank foresees this problem a year ago and became a member of the research advisory service to make available to Philadelphia area firms the latest industrial research developments."

Small plants, Madeira points out, are not large enough to have their own research laboratories and the tax situation precludes their building up special reconversion reserves. Without help from some source, they may be forced to close, throwing thousands of people out of work.

Effect On Enemy Is Yardstick For Raids By Planes

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—(INS)—General Henry H. Arnold maintained today that the yardstick of success in air warfare is not the airplane losses, but the effect on the enemy.

As the air battle over Europe nears its climax, "the aerial superiority will become more pronounced and with the increase in numbers, our percentage of losses will be smaller," the commanding general of the Army Air Forces declared.

Arnold was in Philadelphia to receive the old medal of achievement for 1943 from the Poor Richard Club for his brilliant leadership and accomplishments in the organization of the Army Air Forces.

The four-star general sharply criticized "worshippers of statistics and cold figures who love to compare our loss of planes in actual combat and insist on ignoring the total result of our strategic bombardment, who insist on ignoring the pervasive and cumulative blows we are striking (by air)."

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Report Program To Build Farm Offices In Every County

Byrd Economy Committee Is Looking Into Postwar Plan Of Agricultural Dept.

By ELLIOTT HAYES (N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Plans of the agriculture department to build luxurious office quarters for its bureaus in all of the nation's 3,074 counties as a shot in the arm for postwar business were being investigated by the Byrd economy committee.

The program came to light when investigators for the committee found a 10-page booklet completely explaining the proposal and containing architect's sketches of the buildings and how furniture and equipment should be placed.

"A building which would adequately house all activities of the United States department of agriculture at the county level and provide adequate facilities for local farmers and their families would do more than any one thing to consolidate the efforts of the department into a unified working program," the booklet states.

"This booklet is being released in response to repeated requests for information indicating general interest in county agricultural buildings and the need for stimulating local planning for postwar construction," states an introduction by Arthur B. Thatcher, chief of the office of plant and operations.

Although committee investigators estimated the program would cost somewhere between 150 and 175 million dollars, they said the matter has never been taken up with congress.

"The department is correct in stating that the program would unify its work in all counties," the Byrd committee reported. "It also would permanently establish a federal bureau in every county in the Union."

"Actual construction cannot begin until the war is over," the booklet states. "However, everything that can be done—preliminary studies, selection of sites, even architectural plans and specifications—should be done in time to proceed in an orderly manner so that everything will be in readiness when the time comes to build."

The committee announced it probably will hold hearings on the proposal inasmuch as several of the agencies for which quarters are provided have been the center of bitter congressional battle, notably the AAA.

HOSPITAL NOTES
NEW CASTLE HOSPITAL
Admitted—Mrs. Teresa Farina, Box 26, Bessemer; Mrs. Anna Budal, 1010 North Liberty street; Alex. Sam, 1807 Pennsylvania avenue; Ronald Ellsworth Stanley, 1633 Sennett street; Margaret Swanson, 1023 Maryland avenue.

Discharged—Mrs. Emma Welsh, R. D. 2, Wampum; Mrs. Mary Priolett and infant son, 1208 Croton avenue; Mrs. Angeline Perrotta, 120 South Wayne street; Mrs. Anna Slettra and infant daughter, 134 Oakland avenue; Cecil Carnes, 472 Shannock ave.; Mrs. Myrtle Forbes, R. D. 5; Mrs. Charlotte Shellenberger and infant daughter, R. D. 6.

JAMESON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
Admitted—Esther Anderson, W. Falls street; Mrs. Mary Mehoie, Bessemer; Harold Sexton, Pulaske; Sam Studebaker, R. D. No. 3; Slim Perry Rock, William Schlemmer, R. F. D. No. 7, Ellwood City; Roy Johnston, Hillsville; Peter Hinds, Hazelcroft avenue; Estel Knauff, R. F. D. No. 1, Volant; James Fisher, R. F. D. No. 2, Portersville.

Discharged—Phyllis Lutz, R. F. D. No. 5, Robert Hilliard, W. Sherridan avenue; Sara Skrobecka, Ellwood City; Hollis Grim, Volant; Charles Cooperider, Highland avenue; Ross P. Abbott, R. F. D. No. 2; Mrs. Jessie E. Edgar, Sheridan avenue; Mrs. Theresa Micco and infant son, Hillsville; Mrs. Dela Leonard, R. F. D. No. 2, Wampum.

TRIENNIAL ASSESSMENT
PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18.—(INS)—The triennial assessment of more than 100,000 properties was underway today in Pittsburgh's 32 wards.

The task of having 12,000 supplemental and 2,000 court appeals from the 1942 triennial assessment is nearing completion. It was announced by Fred J. Bittling, chairman of the reorganized county board of property assessment appeals and review.

Pull the Trigger on Lazy "Innards"

Salvation Army Boards Organizes

New Officers Named For Coming Year At Annual Meeting Monday Evening

Organization of the Salvation Army Advised Board took place at a meeting in the Salvation Army Citadel on North Jefferson street Monday evening, at the annual meeting of the board, which was preceded by a dinner.

John B. Shaw was named president, succeeding Jack M. Dunlap; John W. Pattison, was elected vice president; James C. Brice, secretary; and Roy V. Shaffer, treasurer.

The annual financial statement was submitted by retiring treasurer Howard M. Burr, showing the financial affairs of the Salvation Army to be in good condition.

Plans were discussed for the burning of the mortgage on the present home on North Jefferson street, which will probably take place sometime in April.

New directors named to the board, were: J. Audley Boak, Ed. O. Reed, James C. Brice, John W. Pattison, J. Preston Flaherty, Rev. J. Calvin Rose, Attorney Thomas Mansell, Charles Weitz, and Roy V. Shaffer.

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New Castle Cagers Defeated By Ambridge, 53-31

Potters Win, Gain On Bronze Quint

Outcome Of Games Wednesday To Decide Industrial League Crown

Winners of the Industrial league first half championship hinges on the outcome of two games held Wednesday night on the Y boards. Monday night the second place Shenango Pottery moved within a game of the leading Johnson Bronze cagers by winning the Aluminum Works, 25-11. The Potters gain a tie for the crown if they subdue the Rads tomorrow night and the United Engineering spans the Johnson Bronzers.

Lead 10-7 At Half

In last night's fray, the Potters gained a 10-7 first half advantage and protected the margin nicely throughout. Davis, Santangelo and Ross featured for the winners while Bjor and Covelli were standouts for the losing quint.

St. Lucy's finished its first half string in the Church loop by pinning the First Baptists 32-18. The winners are in second place with eight wins and two losses—both to the championship Epworths.

The Saints pulled out from 12-3 at halftime and then stretched the advantage as the clash progressed. Russo and DeProspero divided honors with 30 points while B. Zeigler and J. Zeigler were tops for the losers.

St. George gained a forfeit over the last place Crown Methodists.

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1st and 2nd prizes to each.

SEVENTH
WARD

COLUMBUS SOCIETY

INSTALLS OFFICERS

Members of the Christopher Columbus society met on Sunday afternoon at their hall, South Liberty street, for their regular monthly meeting with about 200 present.

The following elected officers were installed: Louis Ezzo, president; Joe Zumpella, vice-president; Alber Fiacco, financial secretary; Frank Dattilo, corresponding secretary; Pete Cardella, treasurer; Pete Fiacco, Marino Sbaraglia, Patsy Pisciotta, Joe Conti, board of directors; Tony Barto, Mike Mash, Frank Marchionni, Frank Barattiero, board of trustees; Alex DeAngelis, chairman of sick committee; Domenick Velucci, Andy Vestano, flag bearers; Benny Melchiorre, Frank Ticeone, vice-flag bearers; Domenick Ruzzo, standard bearer; Harry Dattilo, Joe Adamo, Jim Barattiero, Joe Comparone, parade marshals; William Domenick and Nick Domenick, sergeants at arms; Tom Naples, purchasing agent; John Rainey, hall renter; Tony Conti, Greeny Orlando, hall inspectors; James Zumpella, steward.

Accounts were read for the year by the trustees and approved. Plans are being made to honor the founders of the society in the near future. Replies were read from those from the society in the armed forces, thanking for Christmas gifts sent to them. The secretary installed President Ezzo, mentioning it was his fifth term in that office, and the president installed the other officers.

Pete Fiacco, Guy Mason, A. Russo and Joe Saccomani spoke of the splendid progress of the society. A large bouquet of flowers to the president, also flowers to the other officers were presented by the ladies auxiliary to the society. Refreshments were served by the auxiliary. The society will invest all its treasury balance in the purchase of Fourth War Loan bonds.

GOLDEN RULE CLASS

AT MISS D. KUMROW'S

On Monday evening, members of the Golden Rule class of the Morning Methodist church, met for a party at the home of Miss Dorothy Kumrow of 412 West Cherry street.

Lavida Sturgis presided when plans were made for a skating party soon.

Games of contest were played, and prizes were awarded. Misses Elsie Jolley, Lavida Sturgis, Maxine Smoot, Virginia Lee Stump, Philomena Sparano.

The hostess was assisted in the serving of a delicious lunch, by her mother, Mrs. O. H. Kumrow.

Next social meeting of the class will be at the home of Miss Elsie Jolly of 912 West Clayton street.

SON'S BIRTHDAY

ANNIVERSARY EVENT

Mrs. James Cenname of 11 Tremont street gave a party on January 16, honoring the second birthday anniversary of her son, Louis Anthony Cenname, at the home of the latter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Zumpella, 105 South Cedar street.

Dancing and music were the main diversions of the evening. The honored guest's great-grandfather, Michael Cea, "the one man band," gave a number of selections.

At a table graced by a splendid birthday cake, refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. James Zumpella, Mrs. Mike Zumpella and Mrs. Joe Zumpella.

The guest of honor was presented with a purse of money which will be used for the purchase of a war bond.

DAUGHTER IMPROVED

Word has been received from Mrs. Isaac Llewellyn, who was called to Columbus, O., that her daughter, Mrs. Ruth McMillin of that city, who has been seriously ill, is somewhat improved. She is stationed with her husband, First Lieut. Joseph McMillin, in that city. Mrs. Alice McCormick of Charleston, W. Va., also visited for a week with her sister, Mrs. McMillin.

PEACE PRAYER POSTPONED

Mrs. Margaret Sinibaldi, president of the Christopher Columbus society auxiliary, announces that the mass and prayer for peace, scheduled for January 19, has been postponed to January 27. Mass will be said by Rev. Fr. Ippolito, at St. Lucy's church.

NAVY MAN TRANSFERRED

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCann, of 913 West Clayton street, have received word that their son, Aviation Machinist Mate John McCann, has been transferred from New York City, to San Francisco, Calif.

INSPECTION SUCCESS

At the post, corner East Cherry and Cedar street the monthly state mobilization of OGD organizations in the ward, on Saturday evening, was most successful. The members underwent inspection of their equipment and test instruments were reported to the control center.

FLIES 'THE HELL-CAT'

Word by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCann from their son, Ensign James A. McCann, located in Melbourne, Fla., says he has a new plane, "The Hell-Cat" of which he sent a picture, and that it was a dandy.

L. A. TO O. R. C. TO MEET

On Thursday afternoon members of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Order of Railroad Conductors will gather at 12:30 for a dinner party at the home of Mrs. Perry Beeher, of Garfield avenue.

MEETING POSTPONED

Youth Fellowship Council meeting scheduled for Wednesday at 9 p. m. in the Morning Methodist church has been postponed a week.

GO TO CALIFORNIA

Miss Vyda Mullen, of North Liberty street and Miss Charlotte Smith, of Brookville left Monday morning for California, where they will go first to Huntington Park for

a visit with a number of Miss Mullen's relatives. They expect to be gone several months and visit San Francisco and other points in California before returning home.

SEVENTH WARD PERSONALS

Mrs. H. O. Spurrer, is quite ill, and confined to her home on North Cedar street.

Mrs. James Cenname, of 11 Tremont avenue, has returned from a visit with friends in Pittsburgh.

Delores Bullisco, of R. D. 7, Mahoningtown, has been admitted to the New Castle hospital for treatment.

John McHattie, of North Ashland avenue, who underwent an operation at the Jameson Memorial hospital, is recuperating nicely.

Miss Janice Arble, of 313 North Cedar street, who underwent a minor operation at the Jameson Memorial hospital, has been returned to her home, and is getting along nicely.

Miss Ruth Taylor, of North Ashland avenue, and Miss Jane Boilinger, of West Madison avenue, have returned from a visit to Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. S. E. Park, of East Cherry street, who has been quite ill and confined to her home for three weeks, is much improved, and able to be around the house.

Miss Louise Conti, of 216 West Wabash avenue, and Miss Mary Marchione, of 1 North Wayne street, have returned after visiting for 5 days with the former's brother, Seaman 1-c Anthony Conti, of San Francisco, Calif. Anthony had been confined to the hospital there, but has recovered, and is back in training.

Charges Forgery
In Hopkins Letter

Charges Are Made In Senate

By Senator Langer Of North Dakota

By WILLIAM K. HUTCHINSON

(U.S. Staff Correspondent)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Washington politicians, newspapermen and amateur detectives threw out a dragnet today for the world's greatest forger—a man who forged Harry Hopkins' name to a White House letter and then forged the name of Harold L. Ickes' confidential aide to a series of letters on Department of Interior stationery.

"The forger search" was launched after Sen. Langer (R-N.D.) charged in the senate that George N. Briggs, a confidential aide to Ickes, provided C. Nelson Sparks, former Akron mayor, with the letter purportedly signed by Hopkins, saying that Wendell Wilkie "is going to be the man" in 1944. Hopkins branded the letter as a forgery. It was addressed to Dr. Humphrey Lee, of Southern Methodist university, who denied ever receiving it.

A federal grand jury in Washington is investigating the origin of the Hopkins letter. Sparks and Lee have testified before it. Hopkins, now ill, will appear later.

Village In Huge
Flood Control Area

SOMERFIELD, Pa., Jan. 18.—(INS)—The church bell and organ of the picturesque Augustine Memorial church of Somerfield, Pa., no longer summons villagers to worship Sunday morning.

Right now the church, as well as the village, is at the bottom of a huge flood control dam area. Members of the congregation will appear in court in Somerset today to recover funds representing the loss of their church.

Damages amounting to \$16,000 were paid to the trustees of the church by the government after the area was taken over for the dam. However, the group appearing in court charges that the trustees acted improperly and turned the funds over to the Pittsburgh Methodist Conference treasury.

Income Tax Schools
Planned For Area

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Plans were made today to open 12 income tax schools in Western Pennsylvania where representatives of 350 industrial and business firms will be taught how to make out returns.

Employees from auditing, financial or other departments familiar with tax forms will be eligible to attend the schools which will be held in the following cities: McKeesport, Erie, Johnstown and Butler on Jan. 24 and 25; New Kensington, Sharon, Greensburg and Washington, on Jan. 26 and 27; Pittsburgh, New Castle, Aliquippa and Uniontown, on Jan. 28 and 29.

MURRAY RETURNS

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18.—(INS)—C.I.O. President Philip Murray, who has been absent on other business in Washington and New York, was back in Pittsburgh today to join conferees representing the United Steel Workers of America and six U. S. Steel corporation subsidiaries. They were reported seeking an agreement that would cover 200,000 employees of Carnegie-Illinois and other "Big Steel" affiliates.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. U. S. president

5. River duck

9. Hawaiian greeting

11. Striped animal

12. Long-legged bird

13. Live coal

14. Youth

15. Apex

17. Mournful

18. Power of seeing

20. Lyric

23. Warble

27. Expression of sorrow

28. Place for guns

29. Pole

30. Donkey

31. A fish

32. Spatter

34. Sagacious

35. Backs of the feet

36. American Indians

37. Insolent, blustering fellow

39. Metallic rock

42. Cry of a cow

43. The head (slang)

46. Pocketbook

48. Blockade

50. Assumed name

51. Young eel

52. Metal

53. Sharp

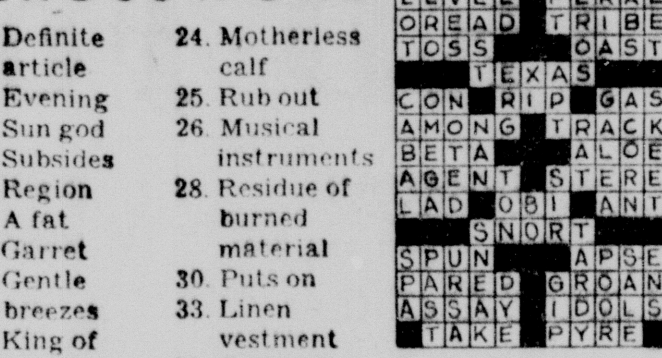
DOWN

1. Coin (Chp)

2. Seaweed

3. To cross

4. A stream



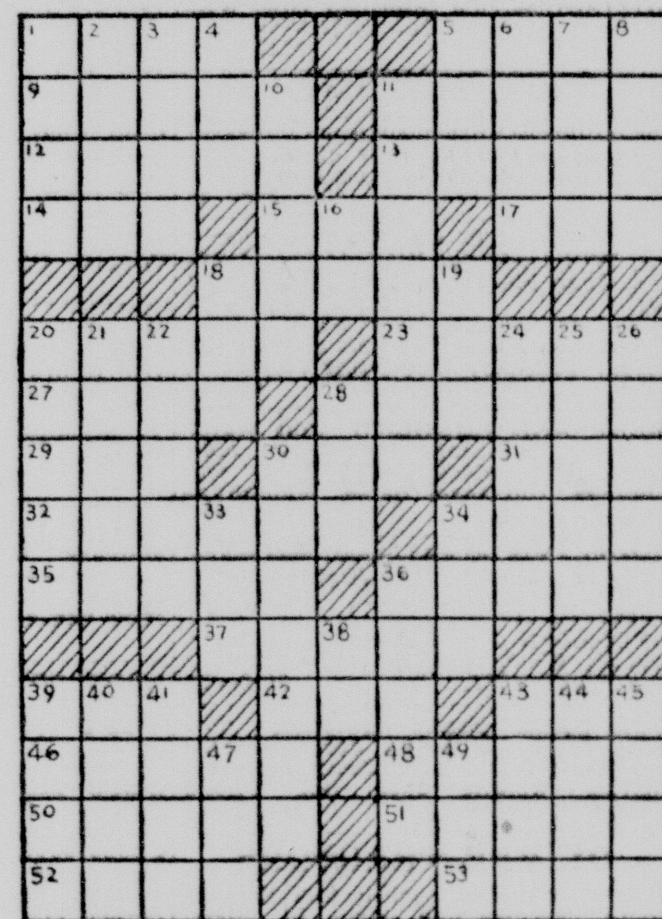
Yesterday's Answer

44. S-shaped molding

45. Capital of Switzerland

47. Polish river

49. Breed



ON THE AIR TONIGHT

WKST—1280 KDKA—1050 WCAE—1250 WJAS—1270

KDKA

6:30—Songs for Service Men
6:45—Lovelace Thomas, News
7:00—Fred Waring
7:15—News of the World
7:30—Tap Time—Spitany Orch.
7:45—Tap Time—Spitany Orch.
8:00—Johnny Presents
8:15—Johnny Presents
8:30—Date With Judy
8:45—Date With Judy
9:00—Mystery Theatre
9:15—Mystery Theatre
9:30—Fiber McGee & Molly
9:45—Fiber McGee & Molly
10:00—Bon Hom
10:15—Bob Hope
10:30—Red Skelton
10:45—Red Skelton
11:00—News
11:15—Eleven-Fifteen Local
11:30—Eleven-Fifteen Local
11:45—News
12:00—Music
12:15—Roy Shield Co.
12:30—Roy Shield Co.

WCAE

News
Dinner Music
Carl Batzara Orch.
Mutual Music
Your Date With WCAE
Confidentially Yours
Penny Reporter
Pick & Pal Time
News
Grace Fields
American Forum of the Air
American Forum of the Air
John B. Hughes
Sunny Skylar
San Quentin on the Air
San Quentin on the Air
News
Maurice Spitany Orch.
Sinfonietta
Sinfonietta
Geo. Hamilton Orch.
Geo. Hamilton Orch.
Shep Fields Orch.

WJAS

Edwin C. Hill
World Today
I Love A Mystery
Harry James Orch.
Amer. Melody Hour
Amer. Melody Hour
Big Town
Big Town
Judy Canova Show
Judy Canova Show
News
Rena and Allen
Rena and Allen
Ken Hildebrand News
Grady Pitts Prepares
Shep Fields Orch.
Shep Fields Orch.
News
Buffalo Presents
Signature

WKBN—570

6:30—Jack Smith Songs
6:45—The World Today
6:55—Joe March News
7:00—Bill Sell News
7:15—Harry James Orchestra
7:30—American Melody Hour
7:45—Big Town
8:00—Judy Canova Show
8:15—Hal Barton, News
8:30—Burton and Allen
8:45—Burton and Allen
9:00—Romance
9:15—Congress Speeches
9:30—Gus Lombard
10:00—I Love A Mystery
10:15—Auto Drama
10:30—Football Game
12:00—Signature

WKST

Wednesday
6:30—Slim Carter
7:30—Bibi, Breakfast
7:45—Musical Chart
8:30—Hobbes Christian Hour
9:00—Novelty
9:15—New Castle Library Hour
9:35—According to the Record
9:45—Church in the Wildwood
10:00—Slim Carter
11:00—For Women Only
11:30—Tin Pan Alley
11:45—Marching To Victory
12:00—Streamliners
12:45—Shirley Pais
1:00—Sam Adams
1:15—Song Makers
1:35—Street Rhapsody
1:45—Rising the Range
2:00—Open House at 1280
4:00—Symphony of Melody
6:05—Hollywood
6:15—Hollywood Headlines
6:30—Rhapsody in Rhythm
6:45—Show Tune Time
7:00—Silver Nocturne
7:30—News
7:45—Swingdown Serenade
8:00—Treasure Star Parade
8:15—Service Unlimited
9:35—T. B. A.
10:00—Sign Off

BLACK MARKET PROBE

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18.—(INS)—A probe into possible black market operation in railroad ticket resales in the Pittsburgh district was being conducted today by Mayor Cornelius D. Scully.

Mayor Scully has written to three railroads which enter Pittsburgh asking that they report any evidence of the racket. The mayor took this action after receiving a letter from Joseph B. Eastman, director of the Office of Defense Transportation, pointing out that in some sections resold reserved tickets were marked up as high as \$50.

Try The News Want Ads For Results

San Francisco's symphony orchestra was the first in the nation to receive support from tax funds.

FIRST, BUY BONDS... THEN, BUY HOME NEEDS



Living Room
OUTFITS for as Little as
\$100
Easy Terms

Many stores would charge this much for the suite alone... just the day-after and matching chair. But here, we give you the suite plus 2 beautiful living room tables and an occasional chair and a hassock. See this big "buy" tomorrow.

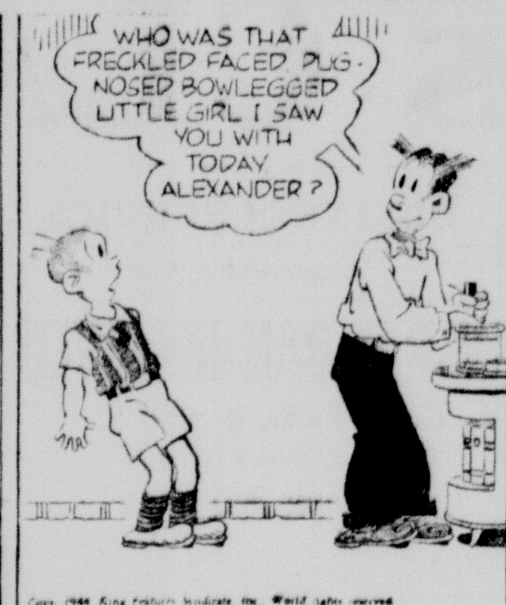
5445—American Women
6:45—World Today, News
7:15—Harry James Orch.
7:30—American Melody Hour
8:00—Big Town
8:30—Judy Canova Show
9:00—Burton and Allen
9:30—Report to the Nation
10:00—Romance
11:00—I Love A Mystery

570 ON YOUR DIAL
OPPOSITE POST OFFICE ON THE PUBLIC SQUARE

BLONDIE



ALEXANDER STANDS PAT!



BY CHIC YOUNG

JOE PALOOKA



A STRANGE SIGHT



BY HAM FISHER

MUGGS AND SKEETER



I CAN'T SAY RIGHT NOW... IT ALL DEPENDS!



I CAN'T SAY RIGHT NOW... IT ALL DEPENDS!



I CAN'T SAY RIGHT NOW... IT ALL DEPENDS!



By WALLY BISHOP

BRICK BRADFORD—Beyond the Crystal Door

"FIRST ONE, THEN TEN, THEN TEN, SOON A HUNDRED, AND NOW THOUSANDS OF EGYPTIAN TENTS CAUGHT FIRE, AS PANIC SWEEPED THE CAMP."



By WILLIAM RITT AND CLARENCE GRAY

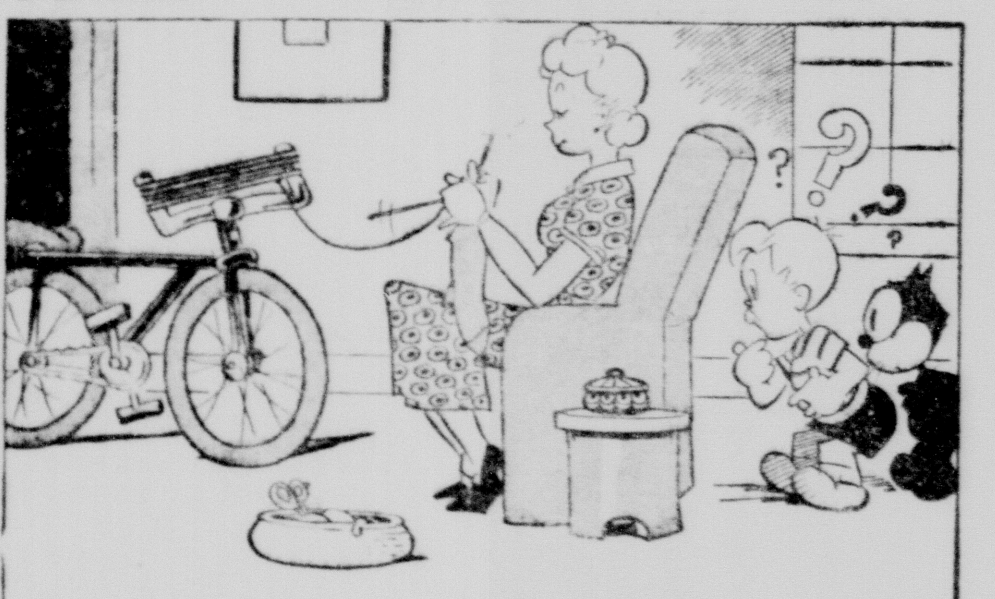
"AS THE FODDER DUMPS OF THE CAVALRY PARK BLOOMED INTO FIERY FLOWERS, A HOWLING TERROR SEIZED THE TEN THOUSAND HORSES QUARTERED THERE."



FELIX THE CAT



A HOLD NOT BARRED



BY GEORGE McMANUS

BRINGING UP FATHER



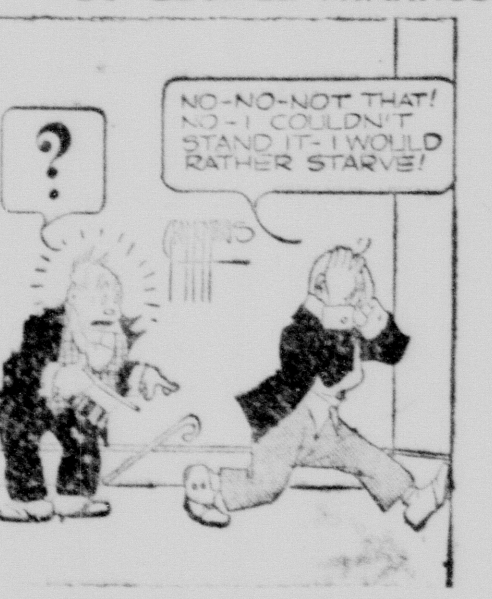
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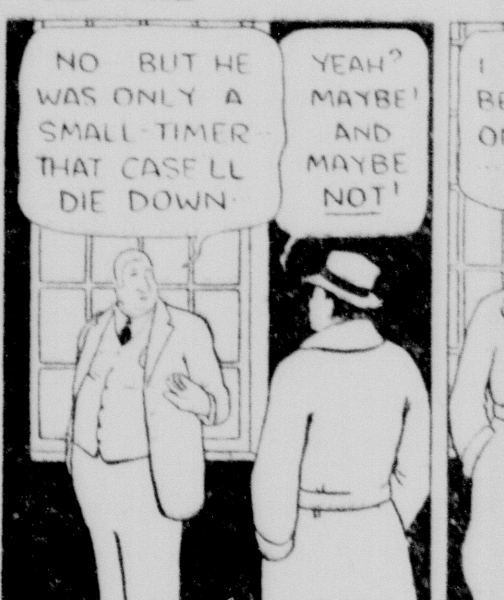
LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE



A WORD TO THE WISE



A WORD TO THE WISE



A WORD TO THE WISE



BY HAROLD GRAY

THE GUMPS



A BIT OF DIPLOMACY



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BY GUS EDSON

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses For Sale

FOR SALE—By owner. One 5-room house, modern, 2nd floor, 2nd floor, small barn. Call 3755-M. 3112-50

WEST

Close in paved street, well built home of five rooms, bath, pantry, attic, deep cellar, basement, furnace. Large lot, garden space and chicken house, fruit trees. \$3500. Home now vacant. Can give immediate possession.

NORTH

Three blocks from Washington St., six rooms, bath, furnace, good repair. A nice property at \$3750. Property rented.

WEST

Five rooms, bath, large lot, fruit trees, two-car garage, all in good repair at \$2250. Property now rented.

FOR SALE BY OWNER, CALL 4374-R

GARFIELD AVE.—Six rooms and garage, first-class, show home, Junior hospital. J. Clyde Gilliland, 885, 3113-59

6 ROOMS, all modern, East Brook, lot 73x225, double garage, chicken house, some fruit, 3113-R-2, 3012-59

FOR SALE—14, 7-roomed modern home, double garage, immediate possession. 14 West Garfield, East 5-roomed bungalow, 319 Temple Ave., 3-roomed modern home, 302 duplexed, 527 Temple Ave., Harvey B. Bush, 14 N. Mercer St., Phone 2869, 3012-59

NORTH SIDE—Four room bungalow, small lot, double garage, immediate possession. J. Clyde Gilliland, 424 Temple Bldg., 885, 2814-50

WE ARE EQUIPPED to do all types of remodeling and repair work. J. Clyde Gilliland, 424 Temple Bldg., 885, 2814-50

Suburban Property

FOR SALE—7 room house and bath, 2nd floor, double garage, immediate possession, 1 mile from city line. One portable suitcase, radio, new batteries. Call 1929 or 712 E. Washington, 3112-50A

WANTED TO BUY—Four or 5-room house, with good sized lot, either on East or West side of city. Call Harold Good Real Estate, Phone 6178, 3112-50

WANTED TO BUY—Six room house, from owner. Call 4284-W, 3112-54

AMERICAN FAMILY would like to buy a house at fair price and reasonable terms. Phone 2322, 3112-54

HAVE CASH BUYER for good investment property on North Hill. J. Clyde Gilliland, Phone 885, 2814-54

AUCTION SALES

PUBLIC SALE—Having decided to quit farming, I will offer at Public Sale at my farm, situated 1 1/2 miles north of New Castle, Pa., on the New Castle-Mercer road, Friday, January 21, 1944, at 12:30 sharp, the following desirable property: 2 head Guernsey cattle, 12 fresh and springers, 2 bulls, 3 horses, 35-ton covered, timothy hay, 100 bushels of oats and straw, Farm equipment, Chicken equipment, feed posts, dairy equipment, some household goods and other articles. Terms cash. J. C. Brownlee, owner, San Attle, auctioneer, 90-acre farm also for sale. 3112-50

LEGAL NOTICES

Legal Notice

The undersigned City Clerk of the City of New Castle will receive proposals until Monday, January 24, 1944, at 10:00 A. M. for the furnishing of the City of New Castle of public liability insurance to indemnify the City of New Castle against all damage which the City may incur by reason of or on account of injuries suffered by any person or persons because of the use or neglect of the City of New Castle to perform any duty which it owes to the public in regard to any streets, parks, buildings, lands, public places or other property (except automobiles) owned by or under the control of the said City.

Bids may be submitted and proposals made by any person or persons, public liability insurance against loss, either to persons or property or to both, all policies of insurance to be furnished must be on standard forms approved by the Department of Insurance of the State of Pennsylvania, and those insuring against personal injuries shall be for the limits of Ten and Twenty-five Thousand Dollars, and those for property damage shall be for damages to the amount of Five Thousand Dollars.

All policies shall indemnify the City against the payment of damages and also against the cost and expense of defending suits for damages. The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids and in determining what proposals shall be accepted, if any, the Council shall consider the rate of premium, the form of the policy, the coverage of the policy and all other things in the proposals which may affect the value of the said City.

Each proposal to be accompanied by a check or cash in the amount of \$1000.

All such proposals should be in writing and sealed and shall be opened at a meeting of the Council of the City of New Castle at 10:00 A. M. on the morning of Monday, January 24, 1944.

C. ED. BROWN, City Clerk, Legal—News—Jan. 18, 18, 1944.

Executors' Notice

Letters of Administration in the Estate of Onofre Fishovich, aka. Onofre Fishovitch and Vanuira Visor, late of Lawrence County, Penna., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to Howard C. Black, R. D. No. 1, New Castle, Pa., or to his attorneys, Errol Fullerton, New Castle, Penna. Legal—News—Jan. 18, 25, Feb. 1, 8, 15, 1944.

Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary in the Estate of Martha A. Douglas, also known as Martha A. Douglas, late of the Second Ward, New Castle, Lawrence County, Penna., have been granted to the undersigned, and all persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to Howard C. Black, R. D. No. 1, New Castle, Pa., or to his attorneys, Errol Fullerton, New Castle, Penna. Legal—News—Jan. 18, 25, Feb. 1, 8, 15, 1944.

Administrator's Notice

Letters of Administration on the Estate of J. Gordon Black, late of Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to Howard C. Black, R. D. No. 1, New Castle, Pa., or to his attorneys, Errol Fullerton, New Castle, Penna. Legal—News—Dec. 28, 1943; Jan. 4, 11, 18, 25, Feb. 1, 1944.

A 10 per cent reduction by consumers in the use of oil for heating, of electricity and of manufactured gas would save, respectively 20 million tons of coal, 4 million tons of coal and 75 million lamp bulbs, and 1 1/2 million barrels of fuel oil annually.

STOCKS

STOCK MARKET EASES FURTHER

Few Issues Little Higher But General List Is Slightly Unsteady

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(INS)—The stock market eased further today, although the pressure was light and most losses fractional. A few issues managed to inch higher, but support for these issues failed to steady the general list.

Trading was quiet, as interest in the financial district centered in the fourth war loan drive.

American Distilling dropped a point to feature an otherwise quiet narrow liquor group. Communications eased with Farnsworth dropping fractionally.

Steels were mixed and narrow, while rails, oils, motors, and aviation were generally off fractions. Consolidated Vultee eased despite the report that the company had topped all others in 1943 airplane output.

Utilities and packing shares were firm.

STOCK PRICES AT ONE P. M.

Furnished by Kay, Richards & Co., Union Trust Building

Industrial 137.67
Rails 35.60
Utilities 22.25

A T & S F 57 1/2
Amer Loco 15 1/2
Amer Roll Mills 13 1/2
Amer Steel Fdry 26 1/2
Atlantic Rg 25
Am Rad & Stan S 9 3/8
Allis Chalmers 48 1/2
Allied Chem & Dye 14 1/2
A T & T 156 1/2
Amer Smelt & Rg 37 1/2
Anaconda Copper 25
Am Water W & E Co 7
Amer Tob Co B 61 1/2
B & O 6 1/2
Bendix Aviation 34 1/2
Bethlehem Steel 58 1/2
Baldwin Loco 14 1/2
Boeing Airplane 45 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio 45 1/2
Crucible Steel 30 1/2
Chrysler 80 1/2
Col Gas & Elec 4 1/2
Consolidated Edison 21 1/2
Consolidated Oil 11 1/2
Cont Can Co 33 1/2
Cont Motor 5 1/2
Commercial Solvents 15 1/2
Curtiss Wright 5 1/2
Case J I 36 1/2
DuPont de Nemours 139 1/2
Douglas Aircraft 51 1/2
Elec Auto Lite 37 1/2
Elec Bond & Share 8 1/2
Elec Motor & Light 40 1/2
Firestone T & R 28 1/2
Great Northern 28 1/2
General Foods 41 1/2
General Motors 53 1/2
General Electric 36 1/2
Glenn Martin 17 1/2
Goodyear Rubber 41 1/2
Goodyear Rubber 38 1/2
Hudson Motors 44 1/2
Inter Harvester 72 1/2
Inter Nickel Co 27 1/2
I T & T 11 1/2
Kennecott Copper 31 1/2
Libby-Owens-Ford 44 1/2
Lone Star Gas 8 1/2
Mid Cont Pet 26 1/2
Monmouth Ward 46 1/2
N. Y. C. 14 1/2
Northern Pacific 14 1/2
Nash Kelvinton 12 1/2
National Dairy 20 1/2
National Cash Reg 29 1/2
National Biscuit 21 1/2
Ohio Oil 18 1/2
P R R 27 1/2
Packard Motors 46 1/2
Packard Motors 50 1/2
Pepsi Cola 38 1/2
Pullman Co 14 1/2
Pub Serv of N J 14 1/2
Phelps Dodge 21 1/2
R K O 9 1/2
Radio Corp 10 1/2
Seaboard Oil 12 1/2
Shaw-Wacuum 12 1/2
Sid Oil of N J 54 1/2
Sid Oil of Cal 54 1/2
Std Oil of Indiana 24 1/2
Studebaker 14 1/2
Stewart Warner 13 1/2
Sears Roebuck 87 1/2
Texas Corp 48 1/2
Timken Roll Bear 49 1/2
Tid Wat Co 13 1/2
United Drug 13 1/2
U S Steel 13 1/2
U S Steel pfd 12 1/2
U S Pipe & Ftry 12 1/2
Union Car & Car 81 1/2
United Air 28 1/2
United Corp 18 1/2
United Gas Imp 18 1/2
Vanadium Corp 18 1/2
Westinghouse Brk 23 1/2
Warner Bros 12 1/2
Westinghouse Elec 39 1/2
Woolworth Co 39 1/2
Young Sheet & T 37 1/2

Sgt. Broschart Writes Parents

States That He Is Coming Along Nicely After Being Wounded By Japs

In a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Broschart of 606 Boston Avenue, S-Sgt. Joseph Broschart writes that he is getting along nicely after being wounded in the New Guinea area January 3 while serving with the "Jolly Roger Unit". The letter was written two days after he had received his wound, word of which was received in a telegram by Mr. and Mrs. Broschart last week.

He says: "Dear Mom and Dad—I suppose the War Department has already notified you about the Japs taking a crack at me. Please don't worry because the Doc told me I would be O. K. in several more days, and I believe he knows what he is talking about. The only thing I can say is that I was mighty darn lucky, not only this time, but many times before."

Sgt. Broschart, with close to a hundred combat missions against the Japs, has five citations and numerous medals for his exploits against the Japs in the South Pacific area.

Report Several Minor Thefts

Police today were confronted with several minor reported thefts, as follows:

Twelve dollars and a cameo ring from the residence of Mrs. Robert Davis, 1013 Winslow avenue.

Fifteen dollars from a pin-ball machine at the Jack Wimer business place in South Croton avenue.

Plumbing accessories from 528 Sampson street.

Walter Payne, 317 Payne street, reported the theft of an auto battery.

Auto owned by F. G. Herring, R. D. 3, stolen here recently, was discovered parked in a Youngstown parking lot. The owner has been notified.

Widow Of Douglas Fairbanks To Marry

BOSTON, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Mrs. Douglas Fairbanks, the former Lady Ashley, and Lieut. Commander Edward Lord Stenley, R. N. V. R. of Alderly England, hold a license to marry in Boston today.

None of the clerks at the city hall marriage bureau, where they stood in line for an hour, recognized the widow of the famous movie star and the titled Englishman, the Sixth Baron Stanley.

Lord Stenley and his first wife, Victoria Audrey Stanley, were divorced on May 26, 1936.

Mrs. Fairbanks was divorced in London by Lord Anthony Ashley, September 1, 1935.

PRODUCE

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Butter and poultry quotations temporarily discontinued.

Eggs: Graded eggs in cases, prices to retailers: Grade AA ex lg 46; grade AA med 41; grade A ex lg 45-50.50; grade A 42-48.50; grade A med 38-44.50; grade B 35; dirlies and checks 31-32; grade A pullets 33-34.

U. S. government graded and sealed eggs in cartons: Grade A ex lg 48; grade A lg 44.

Cabbage: Steady. 50 lb sack old stock Danish type N. Y. 210-12; Pa 2; new stock domestic round type 2.

Potatoes: Steady. U. S. No. 1 old stock Me. Katahdins 100 lb sack 3-30; few 32; 15 lb paper sack 49-52; Green Mountains 100 lb sack 200; Idaho Russet Burbanks 100 lb sack washed 375; Pa Russet Rural 100 lb sack 350; new stock Florida Bliss Triumphs 100 lb sack 500, size B 475; 50 lb sack 265.

Tomatoes: Dull. Mexican lg boxes. Green ripe and turning, wrapped 6x7 pk 4-475; repacks 8 lb baskets 2-210; Ohio hothouse 8 lb baskets med 250; lg 225; No. 2's 150.

LIVESTOCK

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Livestock:

Cattle: 50 steady. Steers, good to choice, 15-16; medium to good 14-15; common to medium 12-14; heifers, good to choice, 13-14; medium to good 13.50-14.50; common to medium 11.50-13.50; cows, good to choice 9-11.50; medium to good 7-8.50; canners and cutters 5-7; bulls, good to choice, 11-12; common to medium 6.50-10; grass steers 6.50-13.50.

Hogs: 700 steady. 160-180 lbs., 12.75-13.75; 180-200 lbs., 13.75-14.75; 200-220 lbs., 14-14.75; 220-250 lbs., 14-14.75; 250-300 lbs., 14-14.75; 300-350 lbs., 12.50-13.50; 100-150 lbs., 10.50-12; roughs 10.50-11.50.

Sheep: 150 steady. Choice lambs 14.50-15.50; medium to good 12-14; common lambs 5-7; wethers 2.50-6; wethers 2.75-7.

Calves: 75 steady. Good to choice 16-17; medium 12-15; culls and common 5-10.

Captain Craige Discusses Move Made By Russia

By CAPT. JOHN H. CRAIGE Written Especially for INS

That remarkable Russian, Marshal-Premier Joseph Stalin, who performs his diplomatic operations with an axe, appears to have taken a roundhouse swing at Britain and the whole United Nations structure in yesterday's article in Moscow's Pravda, organ of the Communist party.

The causes of his action remain obscure, but there is little room for doubt as to Russian chief of state's intentions and the emphatic nature of the blow. Pravda, like all other Russian newspapers, is a government controlled organ.

Everything it publishes is scrutinized with meticulous care, and announcements of a political nature must be approved by high government officials. When Pravda speaks, it expresses the considered views of the policy-makers of the Soviet state, from Marshal Stalin down.

Of Much Weight

This renders the Pravda dispatch, which was published at the top of the page usually devoted to foreign news, an item of tremendous weight. The story, accredited to a special correspondent of Pravda in Cairo, said that according to Greek and Yugoslav sources, two British officials had met secretly in the Pyramids with Joachim von Ribbentrop, German foreign minister, with the aim of finding out the conditions of a separate peace with the Germans.

It is not surprising that Greeks and Yugoslavs in Cairo should retail such rumors. The remarkable fact is that Pravda printed them.

Great Britain and Russia have agreed as members of the United Nations, not to seek nor accept a separate peace. The two great allies have also a bi-lateral 20-year treaty of alliance, one of the terms of which is reported to be a hard and fast agreement that neither will make peace with Germany separately.

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Ship Crackups To Be Probed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Sen. Mon Wallgren (D) Wash., said today that the Senate Truman committee will investigate "cracking up" of Liberty ships in the Atlantic as well as in the Pacific ocean.

Returning to Washington from a West Coast tour of inquiry, Wallgren said 14 Liberty ships cracked up in the Pacific area, most of them at sea.

"In one case 10 lives were lost," he said. "Usually the ships get to port with their cargoes and crews. One surprising thing is that most of the crack ups were in Alaskan waters."

While there have been reports of similar incidents on the East Coast, Wallgren said the committee lacks definite information. This will be developed, he said, in the general inquiry.

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OHIO GOVERNOR ASSAILS INCREASING CENTRALIZATION OF POWER IN WASHINGTON

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 18.—(INS)—Increasing centralization of power in Washington drew the verbal fire today of Gov. John M. Bricker, of Ohio, a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, as he concluded a political tour of the Lone Star state.

He said: "Centralization of power in Washington destroys our self-government. It transfers the responsibility of the individual citizen and in destroying that responsibility it undermines the very foundation of the Republic itself."

The Ohio chief declared the nation "can only endure upon a sound and enlightened public opinion" and admonished that enlightened opinion does not emanate from a people permitted to "hear only one side of an issue."

"When the states and local governments become paralyzed," he added, "the door is open to totalitarianism and every form of demagoguery."

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New Traffic Move Quickens Traffic On Monday Night

Traffic Police, On Corners, Direct Motor, Foot Traffic Here

Motor and pedestrian traffic quickened between 6 o'clock and 9 o'clock last night because of police whistles sounded by traffic officers stationed at all Washington street intersections between Public Square and Croton avenue. According to observation the new traffic move ordered by Mayor John F. Haven was very beneficial.

With each change of the traffic lights, policemen, armed neatly and standing at all corners, sounded whistles. Motor and pedestrian traffic stopped with the "red" and started on the "green."

The move was highly educational because it was observed that persons who heretofore have crossed streets in defiance of red lights last night obeyed the lights and police whistles.

Police were stationed at Public Square, Mercer street, Mill street, East street and Croton avenue.

Monday night is the city's heaviest traffic night because of business hours.

Mayor Haven stated today that beginning today police will work in cooperation with lights in Washington street between four o'clock and six o'clock daily and between four o'clock and nine o'clock each Monday.

Marines Sometimes Battle With Fists

Close Fighting In New Guinea Brings Every Kind of Defense For Yanks

By PETER HENRIK (U. S. Staff Correspondent)

SOMEWHERE IN NEW GUINEA, Jan. 18.—Uncle Sam's marines, though equipped with most modern arms, often find themselves in a position where they can use only the weapons that God gave them—their fists—in desperate hand-to-hand fighting, front line advances from the Cape Gloucester area of New Britain said today.

Take for example, Pfc John Winfrey of Hugo, Okla., who staged a regular barroom brawl with three Japs when they tried to take him prisoner.

Winfrey was scouting well ahead of the front line when he was loosed by three Japanese soldiers as he laid down his rifle to grope for a pack of cigarettes.

Honor Students
Guests Of Rotary

High School's Outstanding
Seniors Are Entertained
Monday Noon

LT. ROSE TELLS
OF WORK OF C. A. P.

Honor students of the mid-year graduating class at senior high school, who will receive their diplomas this evening, were guests of the New Castle Rotary club at their noon luncheon meeting, following out a custom which has been in vogue with the club for some time.

The speaker of the day was Lieut. W. A. Rose, instructor in aeronautics at Thiel college, who served with the Civilian Air Patrol during the early days of the war, and who spoke on his experiences while with the patrol.

Lieut. Rose's address was more or less humorous and recounted some of the incidents which happened during the early days of the war, when civilian volunteers flew patrols along the coast, spotting submarines, wrecked cargo ships, survivors of submarine attacks, and performed many other useful missions.

He stated that Lieut. Ross Bridenbaugh, son of Phil Bridenbaugh, high school coach, was army air corps liaison officer at their base in Oil City, who was followed flying as a hobby, volunteered for C. A. P. duty soon after the war was declared and was soon pressed into service. He was introduced by W. Leslie Wilson.

Present Honor Pupils
Miss Clarissa Duff, class supervisor, was called upon by Principal Clare B. Book to introduce the honor students, all of whom were present but one, John Paul Prioletti, who is attending Pitt university.

Those present were Lillian Ambreszewicz, Betty Jane Bailey, Elizabeth Ann Burton, Charles Audley Black, Doris Dauphery, Jane Dietterle, Edward Riland Gilkey, Mary Kathryn Hogan, Donald Wesley Huddle, Celia Kutz, William McKinley Kinsie, Jr., Elizabeth Kohnle, Mildred Kohnle, Theodore Lewis.

Betty Jean Milliken, Mary Eleanor Shoff and Jean Wadding.
The club paid tribute to Rotarian Richard E. Rentz, who is leaving this week to enter the U. S. army, and he was wished good luck and Godspeed by President Joe McPate in behalf of the club.

It was announced that the club will be guests of the Universal Sanitary Manufacturing company at luncheon in their plant next Monday, after which they will inspect the plant.

Pvt. Paul Newman, son of Rotarian Harry Newman, who has been stationed at Samp Sibert, Ala., in the chemical warfare branch of the Army Air Corps, was a special guest of the club.

Senator Would
Outlaw Strikes
For War Period

By WILLIAM S. NEAL
U. S. Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg (R) Mich., on Monday proposed legislation outlawing strikes for the duration of the war as a substitute for a national service law asked by President Roosevelt.

He said he feared the national service legislation "might become worse than the disease."

While the "no strike" pledge of organized labor has been "widely kept," it also has been abused, Vandenberg said. He said there were 3,737 strikes in 1943 which is twice the 1927-41 average.

"If the president, at long last, is now ready to face this problem unequivocally I want to cooperate," said Vandenberg.

Meanwhile, a movement for indefinite postponement of consideration of national service legislation was launched in the house military affairs committee.

The house committee is scheduled to meet in closed session today to determine its course on the legislation, and some members disclosed that efforts will be made to postpone action indefinitely.

Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson, however, will make a plea for the legislation before the senate committee on Wednesday. He postponed in appearance scheduled for tomorrow because of important war department conferences.

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Divorces Increase
When Prices Rise

Suicides Decrease, Also Deaths
From Alcoholism Says State
College Professor

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., Jan. 18.—(INS)—You wouldn't think, would you, that the high cost of living has been instrumental in reducing the number of suicides and deaths from alcoholism?

But Dr. M. E. John, professor of rural sociology at Pennsylvania State College, says there is a definite effect on the public's behavior, he avers, sometimes good and sometimes bad. Thus, for example, divorces increase when prices rise.

From 1914 to 1920, when the price level rose sharply, the divorce rate increased from 110 to 160 per 100,000 people. In contrast, divorces declined from 166 to 128 per 100,000 when prices dropped in 1929. Increased prices from 1932 to 1935 pushed the figures up again from 128 to 171.

"There are two explanations," Dr. John said. "In depressions many people who want a divorce can't afford it and hard times often bring a husband and wife into closer harmony."

Contrary to popular belief, asserted Dr. John, deaths from alcoholism declined during the price rise of World War I, from 5.8 per 100,000 persons in 1914 to 1 per 100,000 in 1920. During the depression they increased.

"Evidently excessive drinking is not caused by having more money," Dr. John explained. "It's more likely that some resort to excessive use of alcohol as a way to forget everything."

Suicides also declined with the price rises of World War I, he added, but the low prices of the 1920's were accompanied by an increase in the number of suicides from 10 to over 12 per 100,000. During the stock market crash and the depression, the suicide rate went up from 14 to 17 per 100,000 population.

OCD NOTES
Activities Of OCD Workers
Are Outlined Here

Post 6-2 will meet tonight at 8 o'clock. The session will be in charge of Senior Warden Ed Johnson in the post's quarters in Sampson street.

Persons affiliated with the OCD who did not cooperate with the mobilization and inspection January 15 are requested by the city office to participate in future drills.

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Record Number Of
Soft Coal Miners
Killed Last Year

HARRISBURG, Jan. 18.—Production of hard and soft coal in Pennsylvania cost an average of one life for every 528,066 tons mined in 1943, it was reported today by Mines Secretary Richard Maize.

The ratio of fatal accidents to output was much greater in the anthracite area, where the smaller amount of machinery used results in employment of more miners for comparable production.

In the hard coal fields, there were 217 fatal accidents and a total production of 58,061,000 tons, while the bituminous coal mines ran up an all-time record of only 175 fatal mishaps in the mining of 138,200,000 tons of coal, making the respective ratios 267,562 and 788,571 tons per fatality.

"Taking into consideration the wartime stress under which the miners have been working," said Maize, "this is an excellent safety record—much better, in fact, than we had reason to hope for."

On a production-per-fatality basis it was the best record in the history of the state's bituminous coal industry, but, in the anthracite region, slightly better records were established in 1940 and 1941. Commenting on the latter situation, however, Maize said:

"From the viewpoint of exposure, the hard coal industry had the best record in its history, because of increased working time. Also, we hope that final figures will show tonnage increases over present estimates in both areas, thus decreasing the ratio of fatalities to coal mined."

BRIEF NEWS
OVER STATE

(International News Service)
HARRISBURG.—When the Bethesda mission of Harrisburg holds an election it is practically a foregone conclusion that James W. Barker will be re-elected president. He is now serving his 31st term.

ERIE.—Thirteen years ago political enemies of former Judge Henry A. Clark of the Erie county orphan court were saying he would never live out his term of office. Recently Judge Clark celebrated his 94th birthday, still "kicking," he said.

NEW CUMBERLAND.—Col. Herbert L. Grymes is the new commanding officer of the 130th service unit at the New Cumberland army service forces depot. He succeeds Col. Jesse B. Hunt, who was assigned to Baltimore.

CONNELLSVILLE.—William C. Percy, 23, of Conneltsville proved too big for the marines. His six feet eight inches, 240 pounds and size 17 shoes caused the marines no end of trouble. For example, it was discovered that special 17's would have to be made to fit his feet at a cost of \$25 a pair. So the leatherbacks decided to give him an honorable discharge.

DOYLESTOWN.—It will take another 15 months to defeat Germany, in the opinion of Henry Devey of England, a member of the RAF for the past seven years. On a visit to Doylestown, he predicted it would probably take five years to lick the Japs.

NEW FREEPORT.—What's in a name? When John J. Rice resigned as a member of the Green county assistance board, Gov. Edward Martin appointed John L. Rice, a cousin, to succeed him. Both are residents of New Freeport and Republicans.

CONSHOHOCKEN.—The "home front" army is apparently just as susceptible to the "pin-up" girl as men in the fighting forces. Employees of the Quaker Chemical Products Corporation selected Miss Asenath Miller of Conshohocken as their pin-up girl for 1944.

NORRISTOWN.—Howard Pressler, 66, of Norristown ran after a Lehigh Valley trolley and stopped it but failed to get a ride. He was struck on the head by the street car and removed to a hospital in an ambulance.

WHITEMARSH.—Samuel M. Glass of Whitemarsh is Montgomery county's first "pistol packin'" sheriff in many years. In order to economize he dismissed some of his deputies and took over their duties himself.

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Grove City Man
Listed As Killed

GROVE CITY, Jan. 18.—Staff Sgt. Robert E. Spalding, 21, aerial gunner reported missing in action over Europe after a mission November 5, 1943, is now listed as killed in a message from the War Department to his mother, Mrs. Anna K. Spalding. No details were given.

A graduate of the local high school in 1939, Sgt. Spalding enlisted in the air forces in September, 1942. Surviving is his mother and sister, Dorothy, Liberty street extension, and a brother, George, an aviation cadet in training in San Antonio, Texas.

Gun Duel Fatal In
Cleveland Home

CLEVELAND, Jan. 18.—(INS)—John E. Ballard, 55, former assistant police prosecutor died Monday in a Cleveland hospital following a family gun-battle with his son-in-law, Morgan McDonald, 29, who was seriously wounded in the exchange of gunfire.

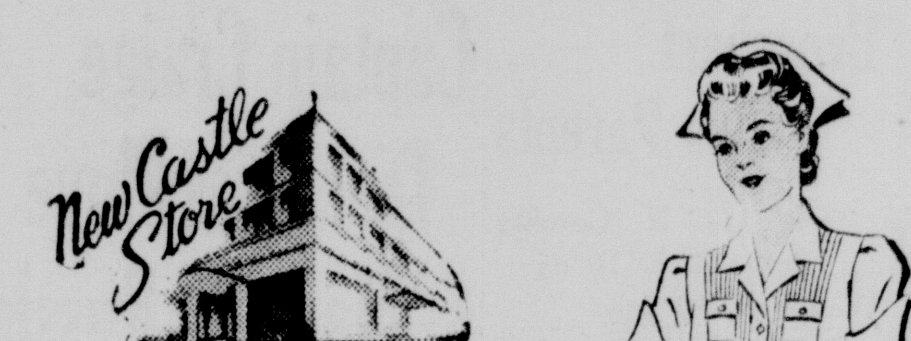
The shooting occurred this morning after Ballard demanded that McDonald move out of the house owned by the former. Ballard, police said, fired the first shot and McDonald obtained a gun and returned fire. The battle lasted 20 minutes according to police.

BURIED STANDING UP

So that they may face the day of resurrection on their feet, the dead of New Guinea are buried standing up.

ODDITY OF THE HENHOUSE

A Vivian, La., farmer has a hen which laid half white, half brown eggs almost daily for nine months.



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Notions—Main Floor

NEW CASTLE STORE

Gloomy Predictions
Stoutly Contested
By State Official

HARRISBURG, Jan. 18.—(INS)—Secretary of Commerce Floyd Chaffant termed unfounded today gloomy predictions for the future of Pennsylvania's industrial areas made by Dr. Philip M. Hauser, assistant chief of the U. S. Bureau of the Census at Washington.

Dr. Hauser listed many Pennsylvania cities as having lost civilian population in the war years and have therefore little or no prospect of growth in the period following the war.

Chaffant said that "many of the areas listed by Dr. Hauser as having lost population actually made substantial gains." He asserted that

"this is shown by an accurate and careful survey made by the state planning board based on official vital statistics and the public school registration figures. The population estimates which resulted included those called into military service while the figures quoted by Dr. Hauser are based on ration book registrations which excluded all military and naval personnel."

While Pennsylvania, one of the oldest of our states, cannot and does not expect to grow in numbers as rapidly as less settled areas," continued the Martin cabinet official, "the state's birth rate is higher than that of any other large state in the union, and its natural increase of more than half a million every ten years promises a normal and healthy growth for its future."

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Bearing twins twice, then triplets and quadruplets, Mrs. Elinor Ormsby, of Chicago, became the mother of 11 children in four years.

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